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B.C. STUDIES U.S. RECOVERY PLAN

Labor In Control Of London Council For the First Time

Turnover in Yesterday's Election Gives Party 69 Seats to 55 For Conservatives; Leaders Look to Next Parliamentary General Election

Early Changes In Policy Foreshadowed

Canadian Press
London, March 9. — For the first time in history Labor controls the government of the entire London metropolitan district.

Complete returns from Thursday's triennial London county council elections gave Labor a majority of fourteen in a council of 134 members.

The totals are sixty-nine for Labor and fifty-five for the Municipal Reformers, or Conservatives, who held a majority for the last twenty-seven years. Previous Liberal representation was completely wiped out.

The victory brought predictions from Labor leaders similar overtures would be seen in the next general election for Parliament.

Labor gained thirty-five seats and lost one, while the Conservatives gained one and lost twenty-nine.

Analysis of the voting shows that while the Conservative vote remained practically stationary in many constituencies compared with the last elections, the Labor poll considerably increased.

Labor's triumph was evident almost from the beginning of the count when the party, already holding two seats in the south division of Hackney, won

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LADY PASSES ABOARD SHIP

Mrs. W. Burrows of Winnipeg Died To-day as Ruth Alexander Neared Victoria

Suffering a heart attack in her cabin aboard the S.S. Ruth Alexander at 4 o'clock this morning, as the ship was steaming up the straits on her way to Victoria from California ports, Mrs. Ellen Annie Burrows of Winnipeg died almost immediately. Her husband, William M. Burrows, well-known resident of Winnipeg, was with her when she passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrows spent several months in Victoria before sailing early in January by the S.S. Dorothy Alexander for southern California on a vacation. They intended to leave the Ruth here this morning and spend a few weeks in Victoria before returning to their home on the prairies.

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AIR EXPLORERS FIND LOST SHEBA CAPITAL

Two Frenchmen Say It Is at Northern Edge of Great Arabian Desert; Towers Still Standing

Paris, March 9.—Capt. Cornillon Molinier and Andre Malraux telegraphed from French Somaliland yesterday evening they had found the lost capital of the Queen of Sheba.

They reported their discovery to the newspaper L'Intransigeant, saying they had discovered the legendary city by airplane and had photographed it.

Its towers and temples are still standing, according to the explorers. It is located, they reported, at the northern edge of the great sandy desert of Arabia called Rub-el-Khali, and also called Rub-el-Khali and Rou-el-Kale. The point indicated is 1,000 miles southeast of Jerusalem, and 900 miles northeast of French Somaliland.

Their message, telegraphed from Djibouti, French Somaliland, on the coast of Africa, read in part: "We discovered the legendary city of the Queen of Sheba. Twenty towers or temples still stand. It is at the northern edge of Rub-el-Khali."

If the two explorers are correct in their belief they have ended a search conducted by scientists for centuries, locating a city which is described in

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TAGS FOR CATS ARE PROPOSED

Edmonton, March 9.—Feline cats and alley cats must have to wear collars, or even pink ribbons, with license tags attached if the Edmonton and Northern Alberta Fish and Game Protection Association members have their way.

Cats are a menace to birds and should be controlled, say spokesmen for the sportsmen's organization, and they have recommended to civic authorities a license plan. The fee would be \$1 per year for each feline.

DOG CONTROL IS APPROVED

Victoria Action Aimed at Police Dogs Backed By Committee of House

The principle of Victoria's resolution seeking authority to prohibit any particular species of dogs in the city was approved by the municipal committee of the B.C. Legislature this morning.

The city asks full powers to control or prohibit the canines or to levy special license fees. The move is aimed mainly at curbing the breed commonly referred to as police dogs, which are said to have become a menace to humans as well as other dogs in some cases.

An amendment asked by Victoria for power to enforce uniformity of house numbering was also endorsed in principle. This is proposed as a solution for trouble which is frequently encountered in the city due to house numbers being placed in any location around the front of the building and in any design which suits the occupant.

TAG DAYS

The city's request for authority to prohibit, regulate or license the streets for use in collection of money for charitable purposes or any other purpose was also approved. This arose through flouting of the council's decision on a tag day last year.

The committee dealt with several other resolutions in the brief submitted by the Union of Municipalities.

An Oak Bay amendment designed to eliminate inequality in frontage rates where a parcel of property is irregular in shape and has a shorter front than back was approved.

QUALIFICATIONS
A proposal that a person receiving superannuation from a municipality should not be barred from running as a candidate was turned down. Another which proposed that the purpose of qualification a candidate's interest in land held in joint tenancy be one-half its assessed value was approved.

A Victoria resolution seeking power to impose regulations on jewelers in regard to purchase of jewelry was endorsed. This would require that when a jeweler buys second-hand gold or jewelry he should notify the police and hold it for inspection.

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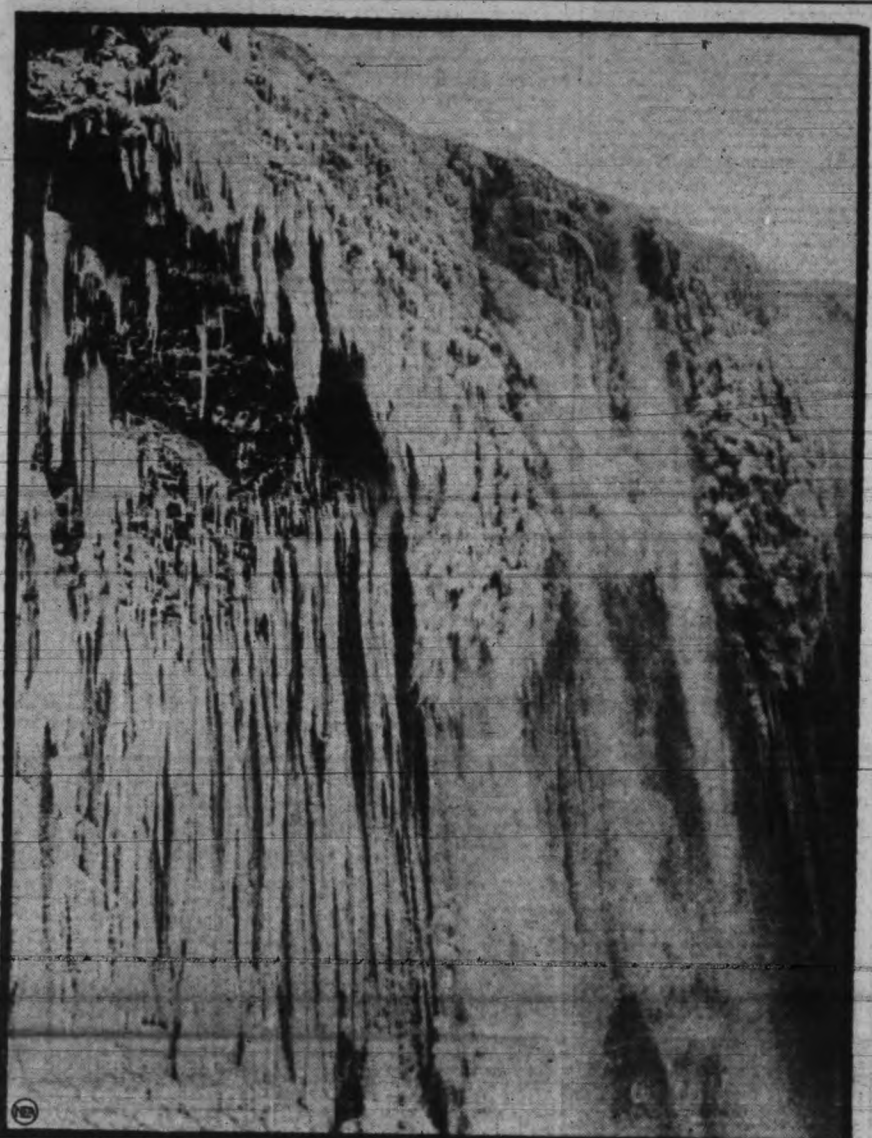
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OXFORD GROUP TO COME TO CANADA

Canadian Press
London, March 9.—Sixty members of the Oxford Group, men and women, will leave to-morrow on the steamship Europa for another tour of Canada. After a few days in New York, they plan to visit Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Saint John and Halifax. Frank Buchanan, leader of the group, is among the campaigners.

Winter's Frosty Finger Stops Niagara



The roar of mighty Niagara was softened to a murmur when King Winter's magic transformed the seething avalanche of water into such a scene of icy splendor as rarely is witnessed. Attracted by the unusually striking display residents and tourists flocked to the falls in great numbers.

BIG NEW ARMAMENT BILL PLACED BEFORE CHAMBER IN FRANCE

Government Asks \$195,000,000 to Strengthen Air Force, Army and Navy; Germany's Attitude Stated

Canadian Press and Associated Press
Paris, March 9.—A programme to strengthen the French army, navy and air force through a 3,000,000,000-franc (\$195,000,000) expenditure was introduced in the Chamber of Deputies to-day by the government.

The government proposed the cost to be borne by the flotation of a bond issue as "a permanent safeguard to the country" and coupled the bill with a flat refusal to disarm while Germany is re-arming.

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ONE KILLED IN CRASH

Providence, R.I., March 9.—One woman of about forty was fatally injured and eight others were taken to hospitals when a New York-Providence bus skidded and crashed into a tree to-day.

Witnesses said the bus left the icy-glazed highway when the driver attempted to avoid another car.

Economic Council Head Establishes Contact With Northwest Board

PRICE INQUIRY PLAN MOVES

Legislative Committee to Secure Information on Supplies Wednesday

Paving the way for the agricultural committee's investigation of meat prices next Wednesday to swing into action right from the start, a sub-committee headed by Dr. J. J. Gillis, Liberal, Yale, was chosen this morning to draft the agenda and prepare the way for witnesses to be heard.

Ben Dickey of the Canadian Fruit Distributors and representatives of the B.C. Cattlegrowers' Association at Kamloops have signified their intention of being present, and other packers and distributors will be invited.

Other members of the sub-committee are: E. D. Barrow, Chilliwack; F. E. Putnam, Nelson-Creston; Olive Ranta, Peace River, and G. M. Murray, Lillooet, who will frame a list of questions to be asked the different interests involved.

SEED ON LOAN BASIS
The agricultural committee this morning dealt with a number of resolutions forwarded by the Advisory Committee of the Farmers' Institutes.

It approved the following recommendations: That seed grain be furnished, settlers in northern districts on a loan basis, a \$10 bounty on cougars; reduction of resident streamer licenses from \$3.50 to \$2; abolition of resident fishing licenses; appointment of a practical farmer to the Economic Council, and approval of the suggestion of a two-year practical course for farm boys in research work at the University of B.C. if finances permit.

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Hint of Japanese Invasion of China

Peiping, March 9.—A Japanese official to-day asked information regarding United States mission property in North China, "in order to avoid damage to these properties in the event the Japanese army should find it necessary to come southward from the Great Wall in the near future."

WAGE MOVE IS ENDORSED

Provincial Council of Women Advocate Minimum Scale For Boys

Officers and members of the Provincial Council of Women this morning placed before Acting Premier John Hart, Attorney-General Sloan and Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, a list of proposals for betterment of social conditions in the province, at the same time complimenting the government on some of the actions it has already taken.

The move of Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, to bring boys within scope of the Minimum Wage Act was warmly endorsed in one resolution.

Attorney-General Sloan was commended on his recent decree to have women prisoners in country areas brought to Okalla, where they can receive proper treatment.

At the same time the delegation outlined proposals for improvement of conditions for women in Okalla. They suggested when extensions are planned the jail women should be provided with facilities to do their own cooking and household work, that opportunities be given them for

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Basis of Development and Spirit of Co-operation Impresses Prof. W. A. Carrothers at Portland Meeting; Permanent and Continuous Link to Aid B.C. Arranged

Steps to establish a link between British Columbia's new Economic Council and the recovery campaign in the United States were initiated with the attendance of Prof. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the council, at the first conference of the Pacific Northwest Regional Planning Commission in Portland.

A permanent and continuous contact with the commission had been established, said Professor Carrothers to-day on his return.

He expressed keen enthusiasm on the manner in which the recovery move has been tackled in the United States.

"And they are tackling it not alone from the point of view of recovery from disaster, but they are reconstructing the whole life of the country," he said. "They are facing the planning problem with a long range view, and the idea of human well-being and economic security as the underlying principle. The chairman of the conference stated the idea was to 'afford assistance and opportunity to United States citizens as the United States standard of living.'"

LARGE ATTENDANCE
Three hundred and fifty persons attended the conference, representing the civic and county administrations, and public bodies interested with a representative from Washington, D.C.

Coming under what is known as the PWA, or Public Works Administration, the immediate idea was to lay plans for directing the contemplated public works programme along the most beneficial lines on a ten-year basis.

"If we had all been thinking more in this direction in the past we would be better off to-day," Professor Carrothers said. "I got the feeling that they were beginning to develop a direction and purpose in the recovery programme, something tangible which is bound to have results."

NRA INVESTIGATED
The Economic Council head also looked into some of the phases of the National Recovery Act while in Portland, discussing the codes and method of enforcement generally, with representatives of this group.

"President Roosevelt has a public opinion behind him in his move and that helps enforcement of the codes to a great extent," he said. "People are afraid to break the codes for fear of losing business."

British Columbia's interest, from a geographical standpoint, was emphasized at the conference, he explained, and it was on a motion from the floor that the contact with the Economic Council was settled.

GOV.-GENERAL TO HOLD RECEPTION
His Excellency the Viscount Bessborough, Governor-General of Canada, and Lady Bessborough, will hold an informal public reception in the Empress Hotel, Victoria, on Tuesday, April 10, when His Excellency is coming to the Coast on a vacation, he has announced his desire to meet the public of Victoria in this way. The reception will be held at 4.30 p.m.

Wage Scale For Log Camps Is Discussed

Diary Reveals First Bridge

T. J. Goodlake as Young Militiaman in Old Country Says His Records Show Bridge Coming Into Favor In 1902 and Whist Waning In 1903

Canadian Press
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CHANGES URGED IN CENTRAL BANK BILL

Liberals Will Propose Amendments When Commons Committee Discussing Measure, Says Mr. King; U.F.A. Want Publicly-owned Bank

Canadian Press
Ottawa, March 9.—A rough passage for the government's bank legislation appeared in prospect to-day as a result of the activities of wings of the opposition. The Bank of Canada Act, the measure to establish a central bank, before the House of Commons to-day for second reading, is in midst of a series of attacks from farmer and labor members. J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. leader, was scheduled to speak this afternoon.

The new bank act, to revise the charters of the established banks, came before the banking and commerce committee yesterday and the Bank of Canada Act before the House. In the committee, Henry Spencer, U.F.A., Battle River, gave notice of a long list of amendments he intends to propose to the Bank Act.

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FRENCH PREMIER SLASHES OUTLAYS

Paris, March 9.—Premier Gaston Doumergue, making the first use of his dictatorial decree powers, slashed 100,000,000 francs (\$10,400,000) off the government's expenses to-day to assure a balanced budget.

BOUNTY ON BEARS

Fredericton, March 9. (Canadian Press)—Declaration of a \$10 bounty on bears is being urged on the New Brunswick government by the New Brunswick Guides' Association.

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gardening and outdoor recreation, that more bathrooms be provided and transportation be afforded on release back to their homes or place of arrest to prevent them being thrown on their own resources as soon as they leave jail.

SEPARATION OF BOYS

Separation of boys under twenty-one years of age in relief camps was urged and representation for women on all relief administration boards asked.

The government was urged to study the Swedish system of timber conservation in order that the green forests of the province, regarded as one of its greatest beauties, should be saved from the axe.

The recent move of the agricultural committee of the House to press for the use of B.C. most in relief camps was endorsed and the council's standing urging the use of B.C. products reaffirmed.

The government was urged to take all steps possible to combat tuber-

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Deal Concert Series. Second recital, Leslie Brigham, Raymond McFeeters, Empress Hotel, Friday, March 9.

Paisley Cleaners and Dyers. We call and deliver, Phone G 3724.

St. Mary's Oak Bay Ladies' Guild rummage sale in St. Mary's Hall, Tuesday, March 13, at 2.30 p.m. Articles called for. Phone Mrs. Cullis, E 9276.

The P.E.O. Chapter I will hold a rummage sale—Saturday—morning from 9.30 at 512 Johnson Street.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Wednesday, March 14, 2.45 p.m., E. J. Tarr, K.C., M.L.A., "The British Commonwealth Conference." Soloists, Mrs. A. W. Stokes, accompanied, Mrs. J. Cameron.

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NINETY-NINE MEN ARE FREED BY COURT

Evidence of Their Damaging Property in Vancouver Lacking; Four Men Held For Trial

Canadian Press
Vancouver, March 9.—Ninety-nine of the 103 men held on charges of malicious damage since an early morning riot in the Vancouver Men's Institute on Wednesday were dismissed in police court today for lack of prosecution evidence. The four men still charged will appear in court next Monday.

Assistant City Prosecutor G. Scott told Magistrate J. A. Finlayson while there was sufficient evidence of riot and damage to property, there was nothing he could produce against the men individually.

Early Wednesday morning a number of the 250 inmates of the charitable institution leaped from their beds and hurled furniture and equipment through the windows, causing hundreds of dollars' damage. When police arrived, the men submitted quietly to arrest.

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COYOTE BOUNTY

The suggestion that a bounty be placed on coyotes in summer months was referred to the Attorney-General's department for submission to the game administration. The sum recommended was \$2.50. The recommendation for lessened cost in administration of the Game Act and complete revision of game regulations was referred to the Attorney-General's department without comment.

A recommendation that purebred sties be loaned to farmers by the provincial government, was referred to the Department of Agriculture for consideration.

No action was taken on the recommendation that a survey be made into Oriental penetration in all lines of industry in the province, and the suggestion of the advisory council that a public utilities commission be appointed was referred to the executive council.

RAILWAY CHARGE

The committee was told by C. H. Trupper, Simulmameen, director of the P.G.E. Railway, that the time would not absorb the switching charge of seven cents per 100 pounds on livestock destined for the livestock exchange at Macleod. It would, however, be absorbed by the time the livestock is in the car.

The recommendation of the advisory board that this charge be absorbed was passed on to the Premier and board of directors of the railway as requested.

Fire-fighting policies should be handled by the forestry committee, the members thought, and referred to that body a recommendation that the province again appropriate a substantial sum for fire protection purposes.

CAR LICENSE FEES

It was the consensus of opinion among the committee that the time had arrived for a scientific study of motor license fees, with geographic and weather conditions taken into consideration. The advisory committee asked for a flat minimum rate. The question was left over for future consideration.

OPEN TO REVIEW

"The wage scale which I presented to striking loggers at Campbell River last month was but a tentative one," declared Mr. Bell today. "It will just be in force until such time as legislation provides a minimum wage for the loggers, when the whole question of wages will be reviewed again."

He overlooked in my proposal to the men then it will be taken care of," he said.

Mr. Pearson told the strike committee yesterday he had secured a reassurance of the promises made to Mr. Bell that no discrimination would be made against the men if the strike should be settled in an amicable manner.

LADY PASSES ABOARD SHIP

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Born in London, England, seventy-three years ago, the late Mrs. Burrows had been a resident of Canada for fifty-three years. Frequently she and her husband came to Victoria to join the colony of prairie residents here for the winter months. This year they decided to extend their winter vacation to southern California.

The remains were removed from the Ruth Alexander at Victoria and will be shipped to Winnipeg tomorrow afternoon for burial.

Air Explorers Find Lost Sheba Capital

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The nineteenth chapter of Joshua as under the jurisdiction of Simon. In those days the land of Sheba was one of the wealthiest of the world. The wealth of the region is hinted in II Chronicles chapter 17, "in the description of one of history's most famous visits, that of the Queen of Sheba to Solomon."

WON PRIZE
M. Malraux, an author, was the 1933 winner of the Goncourt Literary Prize. He is an archaeologist and veteran explorer.

Before his departure, February 22, he told friends that if his plane was forced down in the desert of Roubaud-el-Khalil, death from hunger and thirst was inevitable.

The land of Sheba no longer is a land of plenty.

To-day's Birthdays

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

Mary Doherty, 13 Olympia Avenue, Victoria (10).

Thomas Charles Craig, 2714 Rose Street, Victoria (15).

Barbara Lane, 1212 Seaview Avenue, Victoria (4).

Mary Emily Lane, Jasmine Avenue, Victoria (8).

Patrick Kyle, 3440 Calumet Avenue, Victoria (14).

Betty Kyle, 3440 Calumet Avenue, Victoria (14).

Steven Alfred Carter, 2734 Fifth Street, Victoria (2).

Sydney Cyril Kirk Young, R.M.D. No. 1, Victoria (3).

MAY SOON JOIN AUSTRIAN CABINET



PRINCE ERNST VON STARHEIMBERG

Vienna, March 9.—Reports in usually well-informed circles today that Prince Ernst von Starheimberg, leader of the fascist Helmschmied, is about to be named a minister without portfolio, should interest the public.

A minister without portfolio, impartial observers were quick to point out, might conceivably become more important than Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss.

WOMAN FOOLS ARMED ROBBER

Vancouver Citizen Outwits Bandit Attempting to Force Entry to Her Home

Canadian Press

Vancouver, March 9.—Mrs. P. R. Bartlett, Marguerite Avenue, routed an armed man who attempted to force entry to her home yesterday evening.

Answering a knock at the rear door of her residence, Mrs. Bartlett was confronted by a young man, who asked for money. She replied she had no money on hand, but would give him a meal.

"I don't want a meal, I want your money. I know you have some and that your husband is away and your son is out," said the man, whipping out a revolver and attempting to force his way into the house.

Taking a desperate chance, Mrs. Bartlett kicked at the gunman and the man fell back. Mrs. Bartlett then slammed the door in his face and locked it. She ran to the upper floor of the house and blew a police whistle.

Officers were quickly on the scene, but the man had disappeared. It is believed he had been watching the home some time, for Mr. Bartlett was absent from the city and his son had left the house short time before the attempt at robbery was made.

Two U.S. Mail Fliers Lose Lives

One Army Man Killed in Crash in Florida and One in Ohio

Associated Press

Dayton, Ohio, March 9.—Private Ernest B. Bell, was killed instantly near here today in the crash of a United States army bomber plane within a few minutes after it had taken off from the local airport.

Lieut. W. M. Reid, pilot, and Floyd Marshall, a private, were injured. The bomber failed and the plane fell in a heavily wooded section south of here.

Since the army took the mail flights several other army pilots have been killed. The seventh fatality came near Chardon, Ohio, today when Lieut. Otto Wienecke, flying a mail plane, crashed in a snowstorm.

MAIL SAVED

Chardon, O., March 9.—Army Air-mail Pilot Otto Wienecke, flying from Newark, N.J., to Cleveland with the mail, crashed, and his death in the midst of a heavy snow squall this morning on a farm northwest of Burton, near here.

Chardon is about twenty miles directly east of Cleveland. The plane was destroyed, but ten bags of mail were salvaged and brought to the post office here.

Vancouver Man Killed By Thugs

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At yesterday's sitting of the committee a national control council to curb unethical business practices was proposed by Mr. Hougham.

The Toronto official suggested a federally-controlled council to supervise industries generally. Within each industry would be a board, again supervised by the Dominion, to establish fair trading codes and enforce same, with heavy regulations.

Despite popular opinion, Canada was heading toward industrial control, said Mr. Hougham, who added: "We have passed from the state when we could say 'We will do it this way or that way and we don't care about the consequences to anybody else.'"

He did manage to state, however, that he had been asked for money by two men and was attacked by them and was kicked in the stomach.

A witness of the attack picked him up and assisted him to a street car. Police have made a vain search for this unidentified witness, who, it is believed, may be able to furnish a description of the wanted man.

Mr. Gibb, a school board janitor, proceeded to his employment, but collapsed and was removed to the hospital, then taken to the hospital.

A. Gibb Dies of Injuries Suffered When Kicked in Stomach By Robber

Canadian Press

Vancouver, March 9.—Alexander Gibb, fifty-four, Yew Street, who was brutally attacked by two unidentified men in the 300 block on Carrall Street on February 28, died of his injuries in the General Hospital today.

The body was removed to the morgue for an autopsy and inquest. Police have redoubled their efforts to apprehend the attackers.

Very few details of the attack have been learned by the investigators as Mr. Gibb's injuries were so serious he could not be closely questioned following his admission to the hos-

University Head Gives Up Post

Canadian Press

Winnipeg, March 9.—Dr. James Alexander MacLean, president of the University of Manitoba, today had tendered his resignation, the university board of governors announced today.

Dr. MacLean said he had reached the age limit of sixty-five years and gave this as the reason for his resignation, which will take effect April 30, the close of the university year. No successor has been appointed yet.

License Plan For Merchants

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TAX SUGGESTION
Mr. Falconer suggested an equalization tax based on capitalization. The higher an organization's capitalization, the higher the tax would be.

Opinions of the Manitoba Retail Merchants' Association were heard during Mr. Grassy's statement.

PRACTICES IN ENGLAND

In England there were agreements between retailers and manufacturers, said Mr. Grassy, and recently one of London's largest department stores apologized publicly for cutting the price set by a manufacturer.

In each trade or industry, Mr. Grassy would establish a control board to get prices and review them from time to time.

J. L. Riley, Liberal, Hants-Kings, N.S., asked: "Would it not be illegal in this country for trade associations to set prices?"

"I do not know," replied Mr. Grassy. "He did not believe there should be competition among merchants on prices, but only on service."

Codes should be established for the control of the mail order business, said the witness.

RADIO FIELD

Tuning to the radio business, Mr. Grassy said the worst evils came from slaughter rates at low prices, sometimes 33 to 50 per cent below regular prices. There were too many radio manufacturers in Canada, he said.

"Would you limit the number of manufacturers?" asked W. W. Kennedy, Conservative, Winnipeg South Centre.

"Yes, certainly."

"That is the same system as in Italy."

"I do not know the Italian system, but if they license manufacturers, I agree with it."

"But that would require a Mussolini or Hitler," interjected A. M. Edwards, Conservative, Waterloo South, Ontario.

"I do not know what the name would be," replied Mr. Grassy.

"Would you limit the number on farmers or license them?"

"Now you are going too far afield," replied Mr. Grassy.

LOSS-LEADER SALES

Canada should follow the United States and certain European nations and forbid loss-leader sales, said the Winnipeg merchant. He referred to feature sales by some stores of goods below cost price to entice people to the store. This practice, it has been argued, lowers prices all along the line.

The business and property value for assessment purposes on the department store of T. Eaton and Co. in Winnipeg was too low in comparison with assessments on retail and other stores, said Mr. Grassy.

IN WINNIPEG
Until a few years ago the retailers of Winnipeg were contented, said C. C. Falconer, of the C. C. Co. of late, however, their difficulties had been accentuated and as their business declined, there was no place in Canada where conditions were so bad as in Winnipeg, he said.

LETTER HEAD
Hopes that as a result of conversations with editors, the newspapers will continuously make a point, in their comments, "that the chain store principle is economical, sound and its development is in the public interest."

He expressed in a letter declared to have been sent by J. G. Johnston, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Chain Store Association, which was submitted to the Stevens committee today by G. S. Hougham of Toronto, secretary of the Ontario Retail Merchants' Association.

Mr. Johnston's communication, however, said the purpose of these interviews was not to express the matter concretely, but of subordinating the interest of the public to the interest of the retailer.

It was the hope also, said a bulletin attached to the letter, "that any retailer who might be revealed as applying to any one, or more, chains, do not condemn the system, and that correctives—if the inquiry indicates any feasible should not be so drastic as to rob the public of the advantages in retailing which have resulted from chain store development in Canada."

YESTERDAY'S SITTING

At yesterday's sitting of the committee a national control council to curb unethical business practices was proposed by Mr. Hougham.

The Toronto official suggested a federally-controlled council to supervise industries generally. Within each industry would be a board, again supervised by the Dominion, to establish fair trading codes and enforce same, with heavy regulations.

Despite popular opinion, Canada was heading toward industrial control, said Mr. Hougham, who added: "We have passed from the state when we could say 'We will do it this way or that way and we don't care about the consequences to anybody else.'"

He did manage to state, however, that he had been asked for money by two men and was attacked by them and was kicked in the stomach.

A witness of the attack picked him up and assisted him to a street car. Police have made a vain search for this unidentified witness, who, it is believed, may be able to furnish a description of the wanted man.

Mr. Gibb, a school board janitor, proceeded to his employment, but collapsed and was removed to the hospital, then taken to the hospital.



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Changes Urged In Central Bank Bill

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ATTITUDE OF LIBERALS

"The Bank of Canada Act met with no opposition from the Liberals on second reading."

Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, Liberal leader, told the House his party would not obstruct progress of the bill, but would support it.

"It is not our intention to propose lengthy amendments which would have the effect of dividing the House and provoke lengthy debate," the Opposition leader said.

"When second reading of the bill is passed, we understand it is to be referred to a select committee on banking and finance, where full discussion may be held on each and all of its provisions; also that when the bill is reintroduced in committee it shall be free to propose any amendments which we may regard as appropriate and necessary," he said.

"The function of a central bank in the world of banking and finance, as we view it, is that of subordinating the special to the general interest, or to express the matter more concretely, that of subordinating the private interest in banking and credit to the public interest."

"In no sense should the bank be permitted to become a bank-ers' bank," declared Mr. King.

TO PROTECT PUBLIC INTEREST

"It is, and ought to be, a government bank; the government being representative of the interests of the country as a whole. Its main purpose is, and should be, to protect the public interest in banking and credit."

The official opposition believed the provisions of the present bill, as drafted, "do not go far enough to secure these ends, and that as the bill now stands there is a possibility of private interests exercising the control, which, under a measure of the kind, should be secured to the state."

"The regulatory powers necessary to effect such control in the public interest, as contrasted with private interests, might best be effected, 'is something to which the committee will have to give special attention, and to ensure which we feel it necessary to change in some of the provisions of the bill as they now stand.'"

INDEPENDENCE NEEDED

"The provisions of the bill should be such as to ensure the central bank's independence, and to place it in danger of becoming subordinated in the discharge of any of its functions to the banking institutions, either of Great Britain or the United States or any other country," said Mr. King.

"We believe the personnel of its board of directors, including the governor, deputy governor and assistant deputy governor, should not only be British subjects, but persons ordinarily resident in Canada. With Canada's experience and reputation and position in the banking world, it is, we are confident, reasonable to secure by a Canadian central bank an efficient and highly qualified personnel which will be wholly Canadian."

FARMERS' VIEWS

George G. Coote, U.F.A. Macleod, said members of his group were not opposed to a central bank, "but think it vital that it should be publicly owned. The central bank would be given control of credit and the really meant control of the nation, he thought. 'It should not lie in the hands of a private institution to control the credit of a country.'"

The United States had a national recovery plan and there was a growing demand in this country for a rational recovery scheme for the farming industry, unemployment and the railways. The only way to acquire an economic recovery was by a new money policy.

"We cannot do the things we should do as they are determined by money control, and if the government is to be responsible for economic conditions it should have control of credit," stated Mr. Coote.

"The policy of operating this central bank should be a matter of government concern so that our national credit may be properly used."

The Bank of Canada should be an "arm of the government" and operated in the service of the people without cost. "Let us make this bank of Canada in reality the Bank of Canada," he said.

Mr. Coote sought to move the following amendment: "In the opinion of this House the government should give further consideration to the matter of providing the stock of the proposed central bank should be owned by the government, and that the governor and directors of said bank should be appointed by the Governor-in-Council."

The Coote amendment was subsequently ruled out of order by the Speaker, and the debate, which continued, the main motion for second reading, was still in progress when the 11 o'clock adjournment was reached.

ALBERTANS' OPINIONS

E. J. Garland, U.F.A. Bow River, and William Irvine, U.F.A. Wetaskiwin, joined Mr. Coote in the attack on the bill during yesterday evening.

The new bank, said Mr. Garland, under the proposed legislation would undoubtedly become a subsidiary of the Bank of England. He declared he would not vote for any legislation setting up private enterprise in banking.

Mr. Irvine's speech was a devastating reply to the address of the Minister of Finance, stated Mr. Garland. "Never have I heard a ministerial statement so utterly torn to shreds," he said.

For E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, said he wished to discuss the minds of those who seemed to believe it was proposed to place the central bank on a basis of "unbridled" private ownership.

It was proposed the capital would come from private sources, but numerous safeguards would be erected to prevent the unrestricted private ownership which was assumed in some sections of the press. And if any member had a suggestion that would strengthen these safeguards he would be glad to hear them.

He said this was not the time to debate the question of details of the bill. The Coote amendment was against the rules of the House.

The member for Macleod, the minister said, while professing to believe in the principle of a central bank, had brought in a motion of want of confidence in the government which was sponsoring a movement he had advocated over a number of years. To carry the amendment would defeat the bill and delay establishment of a central bank for another year.

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JAPAN MUTE ON U.S. NAVAL BILL

Nipponese Minister of the Navy Declines Comment on Big Vote of Funds

Tokio, March 9.—Admiral Maseki, Minister of the Navy, declined today to comment on passage in the United States Senate of the \$750,000,000 Vinson naval bill. An adjutant said, however, that the present Japanese naval programme provided all the construction permitted under the Washington and London naval treaties, hence an increase was impossible until the treaties were terminated or revised. Meanwhile, he suggested, it was futile to discuss possible increases for several years to come. Some Japanese newspapers published the following:

Senators Want More Work During Session

Suggestion Made Government Initiate More Legislation in Upper Chamber

Ottawa, March 9.—Senate leaders joined yesterday in deploring the lightness of their legislative activities.

The suggestion was thrown out that more senators might be appointed to the Cabinet, which circumstance would enable more legislation to be initiated in the red chamber since a minister would introduce bills affecting his own department in the House of which he was a member.

In the early weeks—and months—of the parliamentary session. Following up the motion of Hon. Charles Murphy, Liberal, Ontario, that the government initiate more legislation in the Senate, both Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, government party leader, and Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Liberal leader, voiced agreement with Mr. Murphy. Various proposals designed to bring more work to the Senate were discussed.

Britain's Air Forces To Be Strengthened

Country Must Not Be in Position of Inferiority, Mr. Baldwin Tells House of Commons

Canadian Press London, March 9.—Great Britain yesterday evening followed up increases in naval, army and air estimates with an unmistakable declaration that, if other powers do not reduce air armaments to her level, she will build-up to theirs.

The debate on the air estimates came yesterday shortly after the last of the three big service estimates, those for the army, had been made public, showing an increase of \$8,280,000 over last year's.

Both Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Lord President of the Council, and Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-secretary for Air, who introduced the air estimates in the Commons, were emphatic that Britain would no longer be satisfied with an inferior position in air armaments.

NO INFERIORITY
Speaking almost curtly, unusual for him, Mr. Baldwin told the House that if equality in the air could not be obtained by international negotiation, then any British Government, "and the National Government more than any other, will see to it that the air strength and air power of this country shall no longer be in a position of inferiority to any within striking distance of our shores."

The statement, backing up earlier declarations by Sir Philip, who listed a large number of countries as rapidly expanding their air forces, was received with enthusiastic cheers.

CHURCHILL SPEAKS
During the debate Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, former Conservative Chancellor of the Exchequer, declared the prospect of an aerial war was casting the "hideous shadow of its wings."

He said he was confident both disarmament negotiations and the recent arms limitation mission of Capt. Anthony Eden, Lord Privy Seal, had broken down. He presented the four-point programme calling for continued foreign peace policy, international conventions to regulate use of air armaments, and a sound system of home defence.

"We have reached a turning point in our affairs," Mr. Churchill declared.

"Germany is rapidly rearming and no one will stop her. . . . No nation playing the part we play has any right to be in a position where it can be blackmailed."

Major C. R. Attlee, acting Labor leader, charged the Government with drifting and failing to press its disarmament policy. He said he thought it "useless and insane" for the government to take up a position calling for air parity with every nation.

OPINIONS DIFFER ON SWEEPSTAKES

Senate Hears Suggestion Universities as Well as Hospitals Benefit

Ottawa, March 9.—Difference of opinion developed in the Senate yesterday on the sweepstakes bill, which came before the committee of the whole House. Some supporters of the measure, which is a private one, opposed an amendment proposed by Senator C. P. Beaubien, Conservative, Montreal, which would allow the proceeds of sweepstakes to be used for the benefit of universities as well as hospitals.

The committee rose without making any decision on Senator Beaubien's proposal, which, he said, had been with the University of Montreal in mind.

"Can not members see what a mess they are getting into with this bill?" asked Senator George P. Graham, Liberal, Ontario. He said he was concerned about the effect of the measure on the present support given federated charities and similar organizations.

Senator J. A. Calder, Conservative, Regina, objected to the amendment, expressing the view that at least a portion of money raised from sweepstakes should be earmarked for hospitals.

"POWER TRUST" FACES CHARGE

Senator Burton Wheeler Says U.S. Group Blocking St. Lawrence Treaty

Washington, March 9.—Senator Burton Wheeler, Montana Democrat, told the United States Senate yesterday the "Power Trust" was trying to block ratification of the St. Lawrence Waterway treaty with Canada just as he said it attempted to prevent President Roosevelt's nomination because it "feared the policy of public power development" favored by the executive.

"At Chicago," Mr. Wheeler said, "we beat the power trust simply because the Democratic Party could not be intimidated or controlled and because the Democratic Party followed in Roosevelt and in the progressive principles he had advocated as governor fought the issue out in the open and refused to trade or compromise."

CAT IS CAUSE OF EXCITEMENT

Vancouver, March 9.—Missing—Tom, the alley cat, with a tipless tail. It (the tip) got caught in a motor in the public market, Main Street, caused a short circuit and a fire, which sent smoke pouring into the streets and brought crowds of spectators and the fire department. Tom just braced his feet and howled and pulled. Firemen released him. They had never seen—or heard—anything like it. He has not been around since.

ALBERTA TAX CHANGES SOON

Government Asks Legislature to Eliminate \$3 Base Income Levy

Edmonton, March 9.—Elimination of the \$3 base tax or filing fee under the Alberta income tax, with the deficiency to be offset by an increased tax on the higher levels, was announced by Hon. R. G. Reid, Provincial Treasurer, in his budget speech in the provincial Legislature yesterday afternoon. "No new taxes will be imposed this year."

Carrying out the government's policy of economy, the estimated expenditures show a decrease of \$22,400, as compared with the 1933-34 fiscal year and the government, after providing for debt, is budgeting for a deficit of \$524,101.

Mr. Reid announced a cash deficit of \$1,994,991 for the nine months ended December 31, 1933, as against \$1,395,483 in the corresponding period of 1932. There was no doubt the deficit for this fiscal year would be substantial, he said. The cash deficit, he added, included \$447,900 paid for debt retirement, a provision not made by the other western provinces.

For unemployment relief there is \$1,406,130 provided in the budget, with \$369,087 for farm relief. There had been a falling off in expenditures during the year, Mr. Reid said, but, starting with January, a favorable change had been noted, with increasing receipts.

FORD SAYS NEW CROPS NEEDED

Staple Farm Produce Now Almost Obsolete, States Auto Manufacturer

Fort Myers, Fla., March 9.—Henry Ford, seventy-year-old automobile manufacturer, who made a fortune by sticking to one idea, and says he is willing to spend his fortune to improve that idea, believes the world is run by dissatisfied people.

"President Roosevelt is a dissatisfied man," said Mr. Ford. "If he was not dissatisfied, he would not attempt to bring about changes to improve conditions."

"If we had not been dissatisfied with the first automobiles, they would have been taken their places."

"Labor not capable of matching skill with the efficiency of the machines has no place in modern industry. These men should go back to the country and learn to make their living—become independent and self-sustaining."

"The back-to-the-land movement will take care of unskilled labor. It will also bring more happiness to a skilled laborer who is dissatisfied with city life."

"When I tell people to go back to the land and produce crops, they cry over-production, and point to the farmer who cannot sell his crops he already produces. That is because both agriculture and the farmer have been in a rut for a long time. The staple crops are out of date—almost obsolete. We need just so much wheat, corn and cotton. The call is for new crops to be used in new ways."

TO STUDY NEW CANCER WORK

Government Investigation of Treatment Sought By Toronto Doctor

Toronto, March 9.—Official investigation of a treatment of cancer which he claims is a possible cure is sought by Dr. J. E. Hett of Toronto and Kitchener.

After three years of experimentation with the serum he has developed, Dr. Hett announced yesterday he had asked Hon. J. M. Robb, Ontario Health Minister, and the Ontario Medical Association for an official inquiry.

The serum had been used intravenously in many advanced cases, Dr. Hett said. Dr. George R. Philip, who has also kept records of the experiments, declared he was prepared to say, on the basis of study of the last year and a half, that:

"First, the administration of the serum is safe; secondly, the serum has a typical reaction in malignant disease; thirdly, the serum evidently prolongs life."

Dr. Hett said he expected the diagnosis and treatment to become universal and be given to the medical colleges throughout the world for the benefit of all cancer sufferers.

Dr. Hett said he had been working on cancer for twenty-five years.

YOUTH LOST IN UNDERTOW

Young Swimmer Drowns Off San Francisco Beach; Others in Danger

San Francisco, March 9.—Milton Kovachki, eighteen, was drowned, three companions were rescued and five coast guardsmen who went to their aid narrowly escaped death in the undertow off the beach here yesterday.

Kovachki, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kovachki of San Francisco, was swept out to sea despite frantic efforts of his companions and coast guardsmen.

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Kovachki of San Francisco, was swept out to sea despite frantic efforts of his companions and coast guardsmen.

With the youth who was drowned were William Keene, eighteen, John Brasfield, nineteen, and Vernon Askey, nineteen. They had gone to the beach for a swim. Some distance from the breaker line he ran into a deep hole. He was trapped by the undertow. His calls for help brought the other boys and they too were caught by the current. Attempts were made by the coast guard to launch a power boat, but the high rolling breakers blocked their efforts. The day evening, when the principal speaker of the evening was Alan Chambers, candidate for the Nanaimo federal riding, who outlined his views on the political situation.

Alex McDonald, M.P., also spoke and was warmly welcomed by his constituents.

W. G. Strath, Victoria, briefly addressed the meeting and Colin Moutat was in the chair.

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THE MARQUESS OF ABERDEEN

WHEN QUEEN VICTORIA HAD BEEN on the throne only ten years, a boy was born in Scotland who was destined to play a long and important part in the affairs of the United Kingdom and of the British Empire. He was christened John Campbell Gordon, succeeded to an Earldom in 1870, became first Marquess of Aberdeen and Tennyson in 1915, and closed a brilliant career in death on Wednesday of this week. His union in marriage was blessed with the most complete felicity and his gracious and talented helpmate was by his side when the end came.

The news of the passing of this distinguished statesman and public servant will be singularly felt in Canada because of the fact that for five years, 1893 to 1898, when this country was well on the way to the complete working out of the hope and promise of Confederation, he was our Governor-General. Canadian politics at the time of the Earl of Aberdeen's arrival to take up his post at Rideau Hall was in a state of flux, following the death, two years previously, of Sir John A. Macdonald. Sir John Thompson was Prime Minister, to be succeeded by governments headed by Sir Mackenzie Bowell and Sir Charles Tupper, the former with a life of less than six months and the latter with one of a little more than two months. For the remaining two years of the Earl's stay in Canada, however, Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in charge of the ship of state at Ottawa, and within that period, it will be recalled, the Canadian government extended to products from the United Kingdom lower rates of customs duties than those in force against foreign imports. Indeed, this was the beginning of a much larger and more profitable trade relationship between these two parts of the Commonwealth.

In 1880, the Earl was appointed Lord-Lieutenant of Aberdeenshire, and in the following year High Commissioner of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland. During the Gladstonian administration of 1886, he held the office of Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland. His tenure, however, was only a short one, as the Liberal government did not survive very long, but there is little doubt his experience proved useful when, at a later period, he held the same position for ten years—from 1905 to 1915—with his Canadian service then seven years behind him.

The Marquess of Aberdeen's political faith was that of Liberalism, his democratic mode of living and his solicitude for the welfare of his fellow men marking a side of his life which endeared him to all with whom he came in contact. He was a man of wide and comprehending vision whose works and example will constitute a fine and enduring monument to his memory. It was in their constant endeavor, though, to ameliorate the social conditions of the Irish people that Lord and Lady Aberdeen showed their qualities in their most gracious stage during their long stay in Ireland. Lady Aberdeen worked devotedly for such organizations as the Irish Industries Association, the Women's National Health Association, and on behalf of organizations for combating the ravages of tuberculosis.

The sympathy of a host of people of this country will go out to Lady Aberdeen in her bereavement, particularly that of the older generation of Canadians who were privileged to meet her as she toured the Dominion with her husband on several occasions. Through the passage of a resolution of condolence by the Provincial Council of Women in annual meeting here yesterday, moreover, we are reminded that it was she who was responsible, nearly forty years ago, for the founding of the Victoria and Vancouver branches of this organization, which now, of course, is national and international in its sphere of influence and operation—and Lady Aberdeen is still president of the international body.

AUSTRALIAN RECOVERY

IN CONTRAST WITH THE APPAR-ently optimistic outlook in Canada, the United States, and most other countries in 1928 and early in 1929, prospects in Australia at that time were most unfavorable. From 1926 onward there had been a relatively steady decline in commodity prices, the debts of the federal and provincial governments had tripled within the previous fourteen years and the revenues of both the governments and industry were beginning to decline. With these adverse circumstances as a background, it may be of some interest to determine the means employed to prevent the extreme upset which ensued in other countries, and to understand why Australia in proportion to her resources and prospects came through the depression in better shape than any other country.

In order to understand the tactics with which Australia met the depression it is necessary, says the March letter of the Royal Bank of Canada, to recall the nature of her most important industries and the conditions with which they were confronted. Australia is peculiarly dependent upon primary production and that primary production, in turn, upon highly variable rainfall. Within the last ten years the wheat crop has been as small as 114,000,000 bushels and as large as 213,000,000 bushels; the wool crop as small as 834,000,000 pounds and as large as 965,000,000 pounds, and butter production has ranged from 252,000,000 pounds to 351,000,000 pounds. These variations amount to eighty-seven, sixteen and thirty-nine per cent respectively. Prices for these export products are dependent upon world conditions. It does not follow that high prices were obtained for small crops and low prices for large crops; in fact, the return received from her principal exports has fluctuated violently. In these circumstances it is difficult to maintain relative stability of economy.

Whereas Australia had been accustomed to finance her governments by loans in London, this was no longer feasible at a time when speculative demand

had pushed the rate for New York call money to eight or ten per cent or more. By the end of 1929 drastic action was necessary. Government deficits had stretched local credit resources to the maximum and payments on loans in London had made serious inroads on gold reserves. As a further result of this monetary policy, the government was able to finance its deficits within the country. The following table shows the magnitude of government deficits from 1928 through to 1933. In the first column will be found the gross deficit and in the second the deficit less the amounts required for sinking funds. As the Royal Bank letter says, if it is to be assumed that during a period of abnormal depression the government cannot expect to show a balanced budget, the showing for a period as a whole may be considered favorable. We get this:

	Gross Deficit	Less Sinking Fund Requirements
1928-29	\$3,193,381	\$5,969,231
1929-30	6,815,869	1,302,576
1930-31	20,407,625	13,639,430
1931-32	18,215,628	11,055,820
1932-33	4,342,070	3,006,856

We then read: "If Australia had attempted to remain on the gold standard it would have been necessary to reduce the note issue sharply, and the government could not have secured accommodation in the home market. Throughout the depression there was no prolonged period of an economic disturbed equilibrium or disorganization in Australian industry. Productivity, wealth creation and buying power were maintained. The decline in buying power which is brought about in most countries in a depression is the result of the interruption of the creation of wealth—it is not primarily a result of over-production. Those who continue to create have products which can be exchanged within the country and with other countries. In the world depression it was the monetary system which gave way. The history of the monetary policy of Australia will constitute a precedent of vast importance when the next decline in prices creates an upset in world affairs."

ALL ASLEEP?

WHAT IS COMING OVER THIS YOUNG country? A large section of our population is clamoring for work and can not get it. Others in employment are not permitted to get down to their jobs. Let us take two examples which will explain exactly what we mean.

The other morning in Vancouver the Court of Appeal was duly assembled to deal with a list of fifteen appeals. We are told their lordships were confronted with an extraordinary and unprecedented situation—in not a single case was counsel for both sides ready to proceed. The court was obliged to adjourn until the afternoon, after delivering judgments which had been reserved from the January session in this city.

It was not surprising that Chief Justice Macdonald wondered if the lawyers of Vancouver had gone to sleep; indeed, he wondered if counsel had been asleep for the last few days. This was naturally too much for Mr. R. L. Maitland, K.C., who wished it to be known in no uncertain terms that he was always awake, so we shall expect him to get busy with his legal brethren and advise them to mend their ways.

All this, of course, is rather amusing to Victorians. Not very long ago some of our friends in Vancouver seemed to look upon us of the capital city as a happy-go-lucky lot, quite satisfied if we got down to work between ten and eleven in the morning. But if we hear any more of this we shall have to quote Chief Justice Macdonald, who had convincing evidence that something is still radically wrong in Vancouver—at least, legally speaking.

Here is the second example as contained in a dispatch from Ottawa to-day: "Senate leaders joined yesterday in deploring the lightness of their legislative activities in the early weeks—and months—of the parliamentary session. Following up the motion of Hon. Charles Murphy that the government initiate more legislation in the Senate, both the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, government leader, and Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Liberal leader, voiced agreement with Mr. Murphy. Various proposals designed to bring more work to the Senate were discussed."

Thus we have the Court of Appeal of British Columbia, craving for work to do, and the Senate of Canada kicking because its members are literally compelled to draw their annual stipend for which their consciences obviously are telling them, they are not giving adequate service. Surely this is a case in which the two bodies who are "kept waiting" should get together.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

STARTING ON THE LEAST
The Winnipeg Tribune

The Chicago Tribune has changed the spelling of the great Canadian ice game to "hocky," explaining that this is in keeping with the trend towards simpler spelling. And there are so many other things over there in greater need of reform.

SPAIN
Steele in Christian Science Monitor

Spain takes two significant steps in its efforts to bring about a lasting internal peace. To preserve order and quell revolutionary movements the civil population will be divested of their revolvers, guns and knives. As its second move the government will limit all political speeches to the natural range of the human voice and newspaper publication. It does something that may give a weary one hope—It absolutely prohibits political speakers from using the radio.

SPAIN LESIN
The New York Evening Post

If your stenographer can't spell, don't blame her. Blame William the Conqueror and William the Bastard. The first imported French scholars into England. The second brought Dutch printers. Between them they made a hash of English spelling. They put the "h" in host and the "ough" in thru. They made English spelling "unhistorical, unscientific, unscholarly, unnatural, unreasonable and uneconomical." So sez Dr. Dewitt C. Croissant of George Washington University who avers to no, seeing that his first name is Dutch and his last name French.

A THOUGHT

Behold, I send you forth as sheep in the midst of wolves: be ye therefore wise as serpents, and harmless as doves.—St. Matthew x 16.
The power of gentleness is irresistible.—H. Martyn.

Across the Bay

The debate dies, unregretted—Columbia is born again and its favorite son is led to his seat—Mr. McKee is for trade—Mr. Wilkinson is thoughtful—and the one and only Bill Assestine brings with him a northern gale of laughter.

By H. B. W.

DEAD

PROBABLY THE best, and certainly the tamest debate on the Speech from the Throne heard within these premises in modern times, died peacefully Thursday, at precisely 5 o'clock without ceremony and without mourning. Only one solitary and unidentified voice shouted "nay" when the House was asked to pass the historic motion, thanking the Lieutenant-Governor for his speech. The C.C.F. made no objection. The government did not think it necessary to reply to any criticism because little had been said. The Premier was still in bed and could not deliver the anticipated address which would have ended the debate with a flourish. So we just let it die on its feet.

The day produced three more good speeches from three gentlemen who should be extremely useful to the country, and it also served to emphasize the fact that the House is not the chaos of party labels. But before the debate could be resumed, Opposition Leader Connell tried to adjourn the House to consider the loggers' strike, which, however, Mr. Perry would not allow him to do. Since Minister of Labor Pearson was meeting the loggers and was not in the House, Mr. Speaker did not feel that, under the rules, this could be considered a matter on which the House could adjourn. So Mr. Connell's motion will be considered two days hence.

Seated in an obscure visitor's chair was an expectant gentleman from Golden. It turned out to be Mr. King, who has been revived with the riding of Columbia. Mr. King was duly introduced to Mr. Speaker, his arms clutched tightly by Acting-Premier Hart and his good friend, Dr. Sutherland, and he was then led to his chair at the bottom of the line. Thus was Mr. Pattullo's promise to Columbia paid on the nail and the Legislature increased to an even four dozen.

SIMPLE

MR. MCKEE of Point Grey, a round and cheerful gentleman, resumed the debate with a round and cheerful speech, speaking sensibly and with all the confidence of a successful young business man. Economics and life appear simple to Mr. McKee, too simple to satisfy the C.C.F. and a little too simple even to satisfy a considerable part of the Liberal Party.

In the first place, he sees no sense in the current talk of equality among men, for he holds them different and unequal, physically and mentally, naturally divided into classes. We might as well recognize the facts of life, says Mr. McKee.

Another fact recognized by Mr. McKee is that British Columbia is an exporting province, and he had plenty of figures to prove his basic conclusion that only in export markets shall we find salvation. This part of his speech showed the results of much study, research and contemplation and, incidentally it clashed directly with the entire economic philosophy propounded a few days ago by another Liberal, Mr. Barrow. Anyway, Mr. McKee had collected figures to show how our export markets could all be put to work if we went after such export markets as China, and the way to go after them was by a new provincial department of trade. Coupled with that, he would establish research facilities which, by eliminating waste, recovering commercial by-products and increasing industrial efficiency, would put our business on its feet. Butressing these efforts, Mr. McKee would establish a real settlement policy and see that only suitable men were put on suitable land. Altogether it was a very creditable and constructive speech fluently delivered.

SCOT

MR. WILKINSON comes from the same constituency as Mr. McKee and in the name of the same party, but his conception of our problems and his political attitude appear to be just about exactly opposite. A tall, slim Scot, whose native accent still clings to his speech, Mr. Wilkinson asks bluntly why we should seek salvation in exporting our real wealth while thousands of our own people need these very things.

A thoughtful, practical man, a fellow who has worked with his hands and his head in many lines, Mr. Wilkinson is a reformer, but he tells the C.C.F. he is not yet ready for Socialism. Many of the proposals of the C.C.F. will come in time, he says, but we can't make the change overnight without chaos, and the C.C.F. he fears, has no definite programme. Nothing, he believes, is so dangerous as incompetent Socialism, which inevitably leads to something worse, like Fascism, as events have proved in Europe.

Ultimately, says studious and thoughtful Mr. Wilkinson, the solution of civilization's problem can only come by international action, but in the meantime we must work with the tools we have at hand. For example, we should watch the NRA in the United States and devise some method of protecting industries here, which pay decent wages, against unscrupulous operators. We might begin, he suggests, by insisting on our shipping companies employing white men in place of the 2,900 Orientals now on ships of Canadian registry, many of them subsidized by the government.

NORTHERNER

BILL ASSESTINE wound up the day. Of course, he must be referred to respectfully in the House as

the hon. member for Atlin, but everywhere else, in every mining camp in British Columbia, every prospector's cabin in the North he is Bill, the jolliest, most popular personality turned up by the last election.

You should hear Bill, or rather the hon. member for Atlin, deliver an after-dinner speech in Chinook, neotitanian, Swedish, or all combined, or listen to his stories around a drum stove, when the thermometer is 40 below outside. You should be with him on such trips as that one during the campaign last fall, when the gas-bus sank under his feet in a gale a mile from shore, with only a tiny dinghy to serve five men and Bill, the last to leave, got out, half frozen, with less than a minute to spare. You should know Bill, or rather the hon. member for Atlin, out in the open, and then you could understand why they love him up North, and why this House is glad the North sent him down here.

But don't imagine he is just a comical duck. Mining men will tell you he is one of the soundest metallurgists in Canada, that he has performed miracles with the great Premier mill, where he is boss. It was of these things he spoke to the House, of the amazing advances in science in the last twenty years, which alone made it possible for any British Columbia mine to operate now, of the need of more research into the possibilities of our minerals, and of closer exploration of many areas through the co-operation of federal and provincial governments, of education's place in applying science to our minerals—all sound stuff.

LETTUCE

BETWEEN THESE more serious things he managed to sandwich in some of the rollicking stories that they know so well up North, of the lettuce that grows so fast you can hear it, which he swears is true; of the night he gave a dance to the whole population of Spruce Creek, hoping it would do the right thing on election day, and then the creek froze up and not one of his guests got to the polls.

But the best story, which brought the day to a jolly close, was that concerning Mr. Assestine's grave difficulty, when asked by a lady voter of Atlin why she was registered on the list as a "housewife," while her neighbor was a "married woman." With evident inspiration Mr. Assestine replied that when he was first married, his wife used to get up and light the fires in the morning, and cook his ham and eggs, and have a good hot dinner ready for him at noon. But now he has to spring out of bed, put on his slippers, grab a cup of coffee and run for the job, and when he comes home at noon his wife is sitting in a pair of pyjamas, reading a novel. In the old days, the veracious Mr. Assestine told the lady voters, Mr. Assestine was a housewife. Now she is a married woman.

It may not have satisfied the lady voters. It probably wasn't appreciated by the Assestine family if they heard it. But it brought the House down and almost made Mr. Speaker lose his required look of marble statuary. This House needed a fellow like Bill Assestine.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By ALINE MICHAELS

THE PUPPY
He is only a puppy, but who would guess That a small heart could hold so much
At morn or at dusk, or the whole day through
Whenever you come he will welcome you:
His tail will wag, he will leap and prance
About your feet in a clumsy dance.

He is only a puppy, but ah! he knows
The fact of friends and the footsteps of foes:
He is quick to pardon and slow to wrath,
So his feet are set on the surest path.
He is jolly and gay when your heart is light,
And when you are sad he is touched with blight.

He is only a pup, but his heart is true
And his world is charted and bounded by you:
If you give him a feast or you give him love,
He is yours forever and yours alone.
Few blessings can earth to perfection bring,
But his love for you is a perfect thing!

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"You're just terribly amusing when anybody else is around."

Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES
MARCH 9, 1909

(From The Times Files)

The battle royal which has raged in the Legislature assembly since yesterday afternoon is still on, the House having set all night, all this forenoon, and being still in session on a bill to amend the Elections Act.

Never in the history of the province has a band of legislators put up a more determined or just fight against an attempt by an arrogant majority to vest in itself the right of the franchise.

Tenders are being called for the erection of a five-story and basement block on the corner of Broad and Fort Streets for Hon. William Templeman. The property in question is one purchased by Mr. Templeman some years ago, it being at that time occupied by the Bee Hive saloon and by a brick building which has for many years been used for small stores.

The Victoria branch of the Island Development League is meeting with splendid success. At a meeting held yesterday afternoon the city was divided into four districts and canvassing committees named for each. These will press the work of collecting money so as to put the league in a position to carry on effective work.

This evening J. Hendroff of this city will open a three nights' skating contest with Bert Howell of Vancouver. The races will be skated on the Vancouver rink and will be for the amateur championship of the northwest.

Over four hundred passengers arrived from Australia and other neighboring countries this morning by the fine mail steamer Makara. Big, broad-shouldered Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion fighter of the world, was aboard. He was the great man of the voyage. That he was a "white man" in spite of his dusky countenance was acknowledged by all from the captain downwards. With him was his wife, his opposite in point of stature, but good-looking and genial.

Other People's Views

NOTICE!

The Times urges its correspondents to restrict their contributions to 400 words. It positively will not print lengthy communications.

These letters must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the names and addresses of the writers, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Letters will not be re-written for publication. If they are not legible no attempt will be made to read them.

Letters not used will not be returned to the writers.

Letters containing offensive personal reflections will not be printed.

CANADIAN SPIRIT

To the Editor:—A member of the provincial Legislature in a recent speech is reported to have made much of the fact that he was on the dole. All Canadians with any pioneering tradition back of them will wonder how a man could find time and money to run for Parliament and pass up the independence and pleasure of obtaining at least his own food and clothing.

Surely it would be very difficult to find a Canadian with at least a generation behind him who would put himself in such a questionable position. Even children in this country have been known, when put to it, to procure at least their food.

It would be interesting to know how many persons with any Canadian tradition back of them are receiving the dole; personally, I have never heard of any.

The time would appear to have arrived when the way in which our ancestors made their way in this country was made known. Those people who through hardship and privation and no dole, carved out this country from the wilderness.

CANUCK.

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Milk-fed Fowl, lb., 17c; Small Roasts Veal, lb., 12c

Oxford Sausage, Minceed Steak, Stew Beef, 2 lbs., 16c

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Blade Roasts, lb., 9c; Cross-rib Roasts, lb., 11c
Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb., 13c; Rolled Rib Roasts, lb., 13c
Rump Roasts, lb., 14.13c; Shoulder Steak, lb., 19c
Steaks: Round, lb., 14c; T-bone and Sirloin, lb., 17c

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Round Steak, lb., 16c; Flank Steaks, lb., 15c

Quality Lamb
Shoulders, lb., 14c; Liver, lb., 15c; Breasts, lb., 10c
Milk-fed Veal

Fillets, lb., 23c; Cutlets, lb., 23c; Breasts, lb., 10c
Loins and Fillets Grain-fed Pork
Fillets, lb., 28c; Loins, lb., 30c; Tenderloins, lb., 32c

Milk-fed Poultry
Chicken, lb., 28c; Turkeys, lb., 25c; Fowl, lb., 10c
All Poultry Drawn and Trussed Ready to Cook

SAUSAGE Little Pig Pure Pork
Little Pig Tomato Pork, lb., 21c

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Crumpets All Fresh	Doughnuts Special	BREAD White or Brown
10c Packet	20c Dozen	4c Loaf
Ginger Fruit Cakes	Big Pie Special 7 Kinds	CAKES Big Variety
18c Each	20c Each	25c Each

much time on the waters of the Inner Harbor. About 1905, as near as I can remember, while in a boat midway between the C.N.R. and C.P.R. docks, I saw a "serpent"; it exactly resembled the description of "Penda" in form and color. The dingy I was rowing was a twelve-foot one; the sea animal I saw was about the length of the oar. It held its head and neck well out of the water and its back had several curves. It was of a dark brown color, smooth, and did not attempt to molest the boat. I stopped rowing and watched it head out for the present site of the paint works. This occurred about sunset on a summer evening. I saw this creature on three different occasions that summer. Could this have been our sea serpent in his or her younger days? This seems to show he was born in these waters, and fixes his age around thirty years. It passed alongside the boat, almost at the tip of the oar, so I had a good view of it. My father was the late Thomas C. Jones, and it alive could vouch for my story.

CHARLOTTE RAYMONT,
R.R. 3, Victoria, Saanich, March 8.

AN APPRECIATION

To the Editor:—Will you allow me to express my appreciation for the fair, impartial character of the reports appearing in The Times in relation to the speeches made in the Legislature by the members of the Opposition. I am not an adherent or very ardent admirer of the C.C.F. movement, but I do appreciate a catholic, tolerant spirit wherever it may be found, and I think your reports and the comments of your columnist in "Across the Bay," worthy of the best traditions of journalism, and in striking contrast to the garbled accounts and Pecksniffian attitude of mind manifested in some other newspapers.

If there is "any good thing to come out of this Nazareth," by all means let our people have the fullest information so that they may be enabled to form proper judgments of their own: it is not by suppressing opinions and calling for "the grace of God" (in the gospel according to Mr. Bennett) that error will be overthrown, but in letting it come to closer grips with truth in a fair field and no favor.

An emaculated statement or a truth but half declared is ever the kind of libel, although unfortunately there is no means by which such may be brought to the bar, and condemned for what it is worth.

DAVID GRIEVE TUCKWELL,

43 South Turner Street, Victoria.

WHEN "CADDY" OR "FENDA" WAS YOUNG

To the Editor:—In regard to the sea serpent theory, I would like to bring to your notice the following: It was born and raised on the site of the present docks at the rear of the Post Office, and naturally spent

Frank Boucher, centre star of the New York Rangers, to-day held second place in the big seven, breaking a tie with Joe Primeau, Toronto Leafs. Boucher was the only big seven member to increase his points yesterday evening, getting one assist when Rangers and Montreal Maroons fought to a 2 to 2 deadlock. Boucher is eight points behind Charlie Conacher, Toronto, big seven leader.

Standings follow: G. A. P. C. Conacher, Toronto... 31 19 50
F. Primeau, Toronto... 14 27 41
H. Jackson, Toronto... 19 12 37
M. Barry, Boston... 24 12 36
Cecil Dillon, Rangers... 10 26 36
A. Joffe, Canadiens... 20 14 34
P. Thompson, Chicago... 18 16 34

BOUCHER TAKES SECOND PLACE

HORSE AND BUGGY DAYS

When King George Met Czar
Johnson and Jeffries Sign
London Suffragettes in Jail

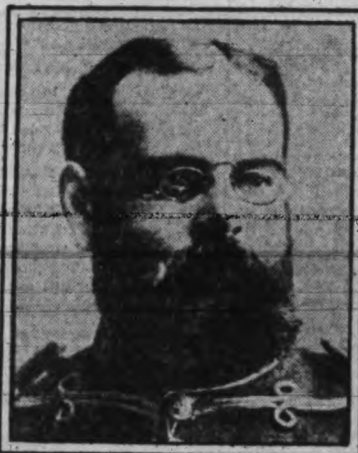


A real old-fashioned scene of match-making was enacted when Jim Jeffries came out of retirement and signed to fight Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship of the world in 1910. The colored champion is shown at the left. Between him and Jeffries is George Little, Johnson's manager. Abe Attell is shown (with flattened nose) next to plump, bemused Bob Vernon, the famous wine agent who gave the party.

Men of fate in the days before the World War. Here are the two cousins who ruled over hundreds of millions of men, Czar Nicholas of Russia, left, in English uniform, and King George V of England, right, in Russian regiments, a quaint courtesy observed among the royal rulers of that time when visiting each other.



Woman suffrage is so taken for granted to-day that it is hard to realize that these women are wearing prison garb for their part in fighting for it. Arrested in the disorders which went with agitation for suffrage, these women are lined up for transport to Holloway prison in London.



His baton was a sceptre that ruled the field of martial music in America for thirty years. John Philip Sousa, "The March King," is shown here as he looked at the Chicago World's Fair in 1893.



Mrs. Leslie Carter, who won fame playing Maryland Calvert in "The Heart of Maryland," went on under David Belasco's management to become one of the leading figures on the American stage. Many remember her as "Zaza" and "Du Barry." Here she is at the height of her long career.

No mystery story ever ran into so blank a wall as the real story of Dorothy Arnold, beautiful heiress who stepped out of a Fifth Avenue store one day in 1911 and was never seen again. Every paper in the country ran Dorothy's picture, and her frantic parents spent more than \$100,000 seeking a trace. Kidnapped? Murdered? Just disappeared? No one ever found out. The mystery was complete.

ON THE AIR

CFMT, VICTORIA
To-night
8.30—Birthday Party.
9.00—Big Brother Al and his Girl and Boy.
9.15—All-Star Parade.
9.30—Round Business.
9.45—All-Star Parade (continued).
10.00—Prof. Mobius.
10.15—News Flash.
10.30—Midnight DX Club.
CBV, VANCOUVER
To-night
8.30—Musical Moments.
8.45—Organ Interlude.
9.00—Variety programme.
9.15—Canadian Press news.
9.30—Gypsy Rhapsody.
9.45—Devilmas Jim.
10.00—Melodie Strings.
10.15—Piano Collecting as a Hobby.
10.30—Lord Nelson School Grade 5 Choir.
10.45—Canadian Press news and weather forecast.
11.00—Bert Antice and his Mountain Boys.
11.15—Don Pedro and his Gypsies.
11.30—Provinces news.
11.45—Cord Smalley, violinist; Barbara Forge, harpist.
12.00—Woodhouse and Hawkins.
12.15—Flamingo.
12.30—Lorna Heath and Bill Campbell.
12.45—Ira Swartz, pianist.
1.00—Instrumental trio.
CRWX, VANCOUVER
To-night
8.00—Boy and Girl Radio Entertainers Club.
8.30—Ray Jolly Timers Club.
9.00—Studio programme.
9.15—Famous Players programme.
9.30—Studio service.
9.45—Studio programme.
10.00—The Happy Family.
10.15—Studio programme.
10.30—Ray Tidyman and his violin.
10.45—British-Israel Lecture by Mr. Percy King.
11.00—Binky and Blanco.
11.15—Great Britain To-day.
11.30—Ernest J. Colton, baritone.
11.45—Ole Olson and his Cabaret Orchestra.
12.00—Fred Bass, piano.
12.15—Sandy De Santa and his Venetians.
12.30—Organ programme.
CJOR, VANCOUVER
To-night
8.00—Official Department programme.
8.15—Crazy Crystal Ballad.
8.30—News broadcast.
8.45—Real Life Dramas.
9.00—Don Graham.
9.15—Sunday.
9.30—Dr. Lyle Telford.
9.45—Word Man.
10.00—Voice of Progress.
10.15—Hockey.
KOMO, SEATTLE
To-night
8.00—Happiness programme.
8.15—Male quartet.
8.30—Billy Backlund.
8.45—Little Orphan Annie.
9.00—Lyle Telford.
9.15—The First Nighter.
9.30—One Man's Family.
9.45—Amos 'n' Andy.
10.00—Glimpse Circus.
10.15—Buckeye.
10.30—The King's Fourtoms.
10.45—Old Boys Contest.
11.00—Jack Bait and his orchestra.
11.15—Jules Buffalo's Club Villa Orchestra.
11.30—Sai Talarin Orchestra.

KJR, SEATTLE
To-night
8.00—Melt-o-Meal.
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11.45—Melt-o-Meal.
12.00—Melt-o-Meal.
KVI, YACOMA
To-night
8.00—To be announced.
8.15—To be announced.
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12.00—To be announced.
KSL, SALT LAKE CITY
To-night
8.00—Movie Facts for Movie Fans.
8.15—Movie Facts for Movie Fans.
8.30—Movie Facts for Movie Fans.
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TO BROADCAST PUTS "MUSIC ON THE AIR"

Strauss' "Salome" Has First Radio Performance After "Pagliacci" Over NBC

Richard Strauss' famous opera, "Salome," will be heard on the air for the first time when it is broadcast from the Metropolitan Opera House on a double bill with Ruggiero Leoncavallo's "Pagliacci," over combined coast-to-coast NBC networks to-morrow at 10.55 a.m., P.S.T.

The celebrated Strauss work, which has just been revived by the Metropolitan Opera Company for the first time after a single performance twenty-seven years ago, will go on the air immediately following the broadcast of "Pagliacci." Both operas will be heard in their entirety.

The opera will be heard in this district over stations KGO and KPO, San Francisco and KOMO, Seattle.

"KATZ PYJAMAS" WAS PHONE CALL

New York, March 9.—Now that the pyjama manufacturer named Katz has his telephone working again it is probably all right to tell about what happened while the phone was temporarily disconnected.

Somebody called the number and an operator asked sweetly: "Are you calling Katz pyjamas?" The caller giggled and told a couple of friends. The friends giggled and told more friends: that if they would call a certain number an operator would ask them if they were calling Katz pyjamas.

Calls began pouring in and doubled by the hour. By the next day the telephone company had to put on several emergency operators, just to ask the same silly question. On the third day something like 3,000 calls came in.

Officials of the exchange were frantic, and wondering how soon it would get into the newspapers—which would mean hundreds of thousands of calls. Finally they had to abandon the set formula in such cases. The operators were instructed to ask: "Are you calling Mr. Katz?" That stopped the fun.



Robert Armbruster's "Music on the Air" is broadcast over a Columbia network on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 4.30 to 4.45 o'clock, Pacific Standard time. Armbruster conducts the orchestra and his presentation features Jimmy Kemper, dramatist of songs; a male octet, and The Hummingbirds, feminine trio.

SOCIAL LEVELLING AT DINNER

New York, March 9.—Fresh evidence of a new level of social democracy came out of a swank dinner party the other evening.

One of the guests was a young man who had graduated from college a couple of years ago and had tried unsuccessfully to find a job suitable to his former prestige. Without letting anyone know, he finally began working as a steam-fitter's helper.

When this party came along, he got out his collegiate dress clothes and gamely attended.

During the dinner he got to talking with another man from his old crowd whom he hadn't seen in a long time. He dreaded what he knew was an inevitable question, and pretty soon it came. "What's your line, old man?" asked the neighbor.

"I'm a steam-fitter's helper," the other youngster said as he dipped into the paté de foie gras. "Just now I'm driving a laundry wagon myself."

Sister MARY'S KITCHEN

THE FINE ART OF FLAVORING AND SEASONING

By SISTER MARY

Just at this season of the year when most of us must rely on shipped and canned goods, seasoning and "flavoring" is a fine art. The clever cook will never add enough seasoning of any sort to let that taste stand out to the exclusion of all other flavors. She will work to bring out the natural flavor of the food and give it that intriguing "fresh from the garden" taste.

Salt, sugar, spices and fruit juices are at the hand of every cook and do much to give point to other flavors.

A few grains of salt should be included in every dish prepared. Fruit cake, salads, desserts, even coffee and every bit of food that is served will be improved by a touch of salt.

And by the same token sugar is added to many vegetable and meat dishes to bring out the flavor. A few grains of sugar included in the seasoning of meats develops richness and tastiness.

ACID FRUIT FLAVORS

Lemon and orange juice come next in importance. Extra sugar, with the few grains of salt added with lemon juice to any fruit concoction improves the flavor and if fruit has lost its first freshness the judicious use of lemon juice does much to restore it. For a most common example, try adding one tablespoon lemon juice to the next apple pie you bake; particularly if the apples have become a bit wilted and tasteless.

No matter whether a sweet or tart fruit mixture is wanted a dash of lemon juice will bring out the flavors and aid in blending a combination into a smooth and delectable whole. Some tart fruits are made more bland by the use of orange juice. Strawberries that are used in any fashion save "au naturel" are vastly improved if a few tablespoonful of orange juice are added with the sugar.

Spices also can be used to develop flavor.

Nutmeg, ginger and cinnamon are the most commonly used. Sprinkle oysters ever so lightly with nutmeg

the next time you make a stew or cook them in any way.

The flavor of spinach is accentuated by a dash of nutmeg with the lemon juice.

Add nutmeg to the seasonings for vegetable cutlets or roast.

Add a sprinkling of nutmeg with vanilla in cake, cookies, sauces or soaps or custards to obtain a delicate yet definite vanilla flavor.

Cinnamon, which develops chocolate flavor whenever this is used in cakes, puddings or beverages.

USES OF GINGER

Ginger is more valuable in enhancing flavors than the average cook realizes. Care must be taken that it is evenly distributed through the mixture because ginger has a decided tendency to lump. Any pudding that is definitely flavored with lemon is improved by a sprinkling of ginger. Fruit salads are made more interesting if a little ginger is added to the dressing.

Several vegetables gain a decided freshness of flavor if a tiny bit of ginger is thoroughly mixed with the sugar and salt used for seasoning. Carrots, cabbage and string beans have been experimented with and found greatly improved treated this way.

These same condiments can be used to give variety of flavor to many dishes. The predominance of any given flavor or seasoning changes many mixtures into something different and acceptable on that account.

TO-MORROW'S MENU

Breakfast: Chilled apple sauce with lemon juice, cereal, cream, crisp broiled bacon, crisp toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon: Cream of marrowfat bean soup, rye bread and lettuce sandwiches, cabinet pudding, milk, tea.

Dinner: Codfish cakes with tomato sauce, spinach with drawn butter sauce, stuffed apricot salad, rice soufflé, milk, coffee.

HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel"

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1934

Friendly stars rule to-day, according to astrology. It is an auspicious time for human contacts. Interviews of many sorts should be successful.

Good news that should cheer the nation is forecast, and editors should profit greatly at this time, when much reading is indicated.

There is a good sign for those who adore the work of others. Letters and newspaper are well guarded by the planets.

Rule at this time, when American books are to gain unusual recognition, is to be subject to the letter and history will engage special notice and tribute.

This should be a favorable day for starting on an ocean trip. Increase of travel

is prognosticated for the coming summer. When unusual conditions will affect Europe. Women are fairly well directed by the stars to-day, which is favorable for social affairs. Dining and dancing are likely to encourage love affairs.

There is a planetary influence fortunate for shopping, jewelry as well as other imports should grow.

Instead of wasting money in riotous living the rising generation is to improve on former customs by establishing stable fortunes that will be show of attainment.

In the universities are future leaders of the nation, who are to prove the worth of scientific training and disciplined lives. Pers: a whose birdlike it is have the augury of a year of prosperity in which much recreation is enjoyed. Odd amusements are presaged for many.

Children born on this day probably will be broad in their interests and sympathies. These subjects of Pisces are usually friendly and hospitable.

John Fairfax, famous Scottish scholar, was born on this day, 1748. (Copyright, McClure Newspaper Syndicate)

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1 Crush and dissolve 3 Aspirin Tablets in half a glass of water.

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Modern medical science now throws an entirely new light on sore throat. A way that eases the pain, rawness and irritation in as little as two or three minutes!

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The Signs of Acid Stomach

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Neuralgia Nausea Sleeplessness
Indigestion Frequent Headaches Mouth Acidity
Loss of Appetite Sour Stomach



What to Do For It

TAKE—2 teaspoonfuls of Phillips' Milk of Magnesia in a glass of water every morning when you get up. Take another teaspoonful thirty minutes after eating. And another before you go to bed.

OR—Take the new Phillips' Milk of Magnesia Tablets—one tablet for each teaspoonful as directed above.

If you have Acid Stomach, you can easily trace it. The symptoms above, headaches, stomach pains after eating, "gas," "upsets" are the usual indications.

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Try this and, chances are, it will make a great difference in your life. For this small dosage of Phillips' Milk of Magnesia acts to neutralize stomach acids causing distress.

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ATLANTIC MEMBER TRADE BRANCH LAST SPEAKER IN B.C. URGED

W. J. Asselstine Winds Up Debate on Speech; Worked Long Hours as Boy

The Legislature yesterday wound up the debate on the Speech from the Throne with unanimous passage of the formal resolution that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor be thanked for his gracious speech.

Three Liberal members concluded the debate with W. J. Asselstine, Atlin, as the final speaker. The formal motions to pave the way for the budget were then made by Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, providing for the House to go into committee of the whole at its next sitting "to discuss ways and means of raising supply."

Mr. Hart will present his budget on Monday.

The windup speech in the debate by Mr. Asselstine was punctuated with humorous witticisms which left the members in a good humor after more than two weeks of talking by all but seventeen of the forty-seven members of the Assembly.

He opened by taking issue with a former C.C.F. speaker who had suggested a member of the House should qualify first by having two years on.

"When I was a boy I worked twelve and fourteen hours a day for 25 cents making cheese and the man who said that was unfair to me, at least," he said.

He also took exception with the proposal of Hugh Savage, Independent, Cowichan-Newcastle, that members' indemnities be cut.

"It might be all right for a place like Victoria, where you can ride round the whole constituency in a car in one hour and then see your members, but it takes me seven weeks of traveling to visit every part of my riding. However, if somebody will pay my traveling expenses for this purpose they can have my indemnity," he said.

Mr. Asselstine discussed the advances made by the mining industry through scientific research and supported the statements of other members that there was an opening for the government in this direction, not alone for mining, but other industries.

"If the mines of British Columbia had not applied science to their business twenty years ago there would not be a profitable mine in the province today," he said.

SUPPORTS EDUCATION
He pledged himself firmly in support of expenditures on education, declaring it was the unalterable duty of the House as a whole to improve the general standard of education and help the working people in this way.

He urged a wider mapping of the mineral resources of the province, declaring it was time the "unexplored and unmapped" pieces were obliterated from the maps. Airplanes would be found most useful for this sort of work.

The Atlin member wound up with a little story about listening to "lettuce grow."

"You have to expand in British Columbia. The whole of the north is up there. So come up sometime and hear our lettuce grow," he said.

Straighten Out Muddled Claims

Government Launches Investigation to Clear Up Barkerville Tangle

Steps to clear up the complicated title situation that has arisen at the historic Barkerville, in the Cariboo, where hundreds of new mining claims were staked two years ago, were initiated by the government yesterday.

Introduction in the Legislature by Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, of a bill authorizing an investigation of the matter.

The bill would authorize the registration of land titles here within six days to hold an inquiry in Barkerville at which claimants to property titles may apply to have adjudication on their claims. The procedure is laid down in the measure for the title troubles to be cleared up for good.

When hundreds of prospectors, checkbooks and veterans rushed to the historic old mining town of Barkerville two years ago in the hope of striking it rich, they staked claims in every little corner of the place, some stakes being planted in six feet of snow, part of the century being claimed in one instance, as well as part of the mining recorder's office, which was wrapped and the resulting tangle will probably require a long investigation before it is straightened out.

Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Tells Safe, Simple Way to Treat and Relieve at Home

If you have catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and it causes catarrh of the stomach or bowels, you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment, which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost.

From your drugist 1 ounce of Permin (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and a level teaspoonful of sugar; stir until dissolved.

Take one tablespoonful four times a day. The first day's treatment, breathing should be easy, while the distressing head noises, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus droppings in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly ninety per cent of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and these must, therefore, be many people being made more by restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment. (Advt.)

Vancouver Member Makes Plea for Government Aid in Developing Markets

Turning a practical businessman's ideas on the economic life of British Columbia, Stanley S. McKeen, Vancouver Liberal, told the B.C. Legislature yesterday what he thought should be done to revive industry.

Whether the province operated under capitalism, socialism or fascism, it was a very plain fact that only by securing a market for the largest portion of its product could it hope to keep its people at work.

For this reason he advocated the formation of a provincial department of trade and commerce to work hand in hand with the Ottawa department, and also proposed the government do something in the way of scientific research in industry.

EXPORT RATIO
He quoted figures showing the fishing industry exported 96 per cent of its products; paper 93 per cent, and mining 91 per cent and lumber 48 per cent. This was an entirely different situation than in the United States, which could export with comparative ease because 90 per cent of its production was consumed at home.

"I grant you, this is really a Federal issue. But no man in business can afford to neglect to look into what is his most vital concern," he said. "I suggest now to the government that it implement its platform of its production."

"If each country would pay attention only to producing those goods which it can produce most economically and we then lowered tariff barriers for an easy interchange of goods, everyone would be much happier."

WHAT AUSTRALIA DID
To illustrate what could be done in the way of developing overseas markets, he cited the case of Australia's intensive sales campaign in China. As a result, from the fiscal year 1928-29 to 1931-32 the Australian exports to China rose from \$4,000,000 to \$28,000,000. At the same time the drop from \$27,000,000 to \$10,000,000 in Canada's exports to the same country had been blamed on the world depression. Was this logical? he asked.

He made the opportunity was in the Orient, and especially British Columbia because of its relative proximity. The lumbermen had already demonstrated this because when they lost entry to the United States, they turned their attention to China and increased shipments from \$3,000,000 to 130,000,000 feet.

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH
Mr. McKeen supplemented the remarks of Mr. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, when he advocated government aid in scientific industrial research. Dealing with the practical side, he told how fishing interests of the province were already developing the manufacture of medicinal products from the fish and that even wood yard waste would produce useful commodities.

He spoke generally on the economic methods of provincial finances when compared with a business man's way of doing things, and finally urged that the government take made in land settlement policies of former times, expressing the hope something really successful could be done along these lines.

ULTIMATUM ON STRIKE ASKED

C.C.F. Move in House to Aid Loggers; Labor Minister Conferring in Vancouver

Ruled out on a first attempt to move the House to discuss the situation created by the deadlock in negotiations on the strike of Vancouver Island loggers, Rev. Robert Connell, C.C.F. leader in the Legislature, yesterday afternoon gave notice of a motion calling on the government to deliver an ultimatum to the logging operators.

The motion, posted to come up Monday, was:

That the deputy Minister of Labor be instructed to inform the logging operators that the government approves the inalienable right of free men to protect legitimately the right of free speech and to enjoy their freedom and justice, and that further delay in settling the strike on this account will be looked upon as a breach of agreement between the government and the logging operators deemed sufficient cause to terminate, cancel and rescind timber leases and logging permits issued by the government to the operators.

This was filed after the Opposition leader's motion to adjourn on a matter of "urgent public importance" had been ruled out by Mr. Speaker Perry.

Mr. Connell claimed the refusal of M. A. Granger, of the Alberni Pacific Lumber Company, to agree to organization of the camp communities by the basic rights of men to organize for speech and liberty.

The Speaker ruled that since Hon. George Pearson, Minister of Labor, was already in Vancouver taking the matter up with both parties, the question could not be considered one of sufficient importance to adjourn the House at present.

NOTES OF LEGISLATURE

Thomas King, the newly elected Liberal member for the recreated riding of Columbia, was presented to the House yesterday afternoon by

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Flannelette Pyjamas with "V" neck and pocket and silk braid fasteners. Various patterns, in sizes 36 to 44. A suit, \$1.19

Flannelette Nightshirts—woven stripes, made with collar and pocket, 15 to 19 neck. Each \$1.19

Men's Cream Elastic Rib Shirts and Drawers with rayon stripe. Medium weight, with long sleeves and ankle length. Sizes 32 to 44, a garment, 75c

Combinations with rayon stripe, short or long sleeves and ankle length. The right weight for spring. Sizes 34 to 44. Per suit \$1.19

Silk and Wool Socks patterned in smart check effects. Sizes 10½ to 11½. Regular, a pair, 35c, for 25c

Men's Wool Pullovers with "V" neck. Blue, green, maroon and fawn. Sizes 36 to 44. Each \$1.39

300 Fashion Sport Bow Ties, a large selection of shades and patterns. Regular, 25c, for 9c

Men's durable Work Shirts of khaki, navy or blue chambray. Triple stitched, in sizes 14½ to 18. Each 95c

Men's Work Pants—plain or striped cottoned; also blue or black denim and khaki drill. Sizes 32 to 44, Pair, \$1.39

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor.

FASCISM NOT DEMOCRATIC

Italian People Have Lost Responsibilities, Says Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson

"Our democracy has been fought for and hard won. Yet democracy as it expresses itself today is totally inadequate to meet present conditions. It will have to be vastly improved."

The opinion of Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, minister of First United Church, as expressed in an address to "The Government of the Future" at a meeting of the Victoria West Brotherhood yesterday evening. Rev. W. R. Brown presided.

Dr. Wilson dealt with the fall of despotism, the rise of democracy and the subsequent experiments with Communism and Fascism, referring to some fallacies of each system. Primarily Dr. Wilson urged his

listeners to acquaint themselves with the problems of the day and study the political and economical situation in order that they might exercise the franchise with wisdom rather than allow organized groups to control the ballot box.

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In concluding, the speaker urged

New Silk Dresses \$3.95
On Sale, Each
An assortment of new spring styles of printed silks or plain shades; light and dark effects. Sizes 14 to 20.

House Dresses \$1.00
Very Special
Dresses of tub-fast materials; plain or pleated effects in floral and check patterns. Also white and floral Hoovers with short sleeves and patch pockets. House Dresses, sizes 34 to 52; Hoovers, sizes 36 to 42.

Women's Hose, mock fashioned in thread and art silk with reinforced feet and heels. Various colors; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair 25c

Women's rayon surface Wool Hose with reinforced feet, toes and heels. A range of colors. Sizes 8½ to 10. A pair 35c

3 pairs for \$1.00

Full-fashioned semi-service weight Pure Thread Silk Hose. Silk to hem, with French heels and cradle feet. Shades of dust beige, jungle, spice brown, brown, taupe, smoke tone and gunmetal. Slightly irregular. Sizes 8½ to 10. A pair 59c

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor.

Bargain Highway FOOTWEAR

New Spring Stocks

WOMEN'S SPORT OXFORDS, a pair \$2.45

Shawl-tongue or plain Oxfords in brown, black, smoked, two-tone and white elk leathers; also grey or brown buck. Sizes 3 to 8.

GIRLS' SHAWL-TONGUE OXFORDS, black, brown or smoked elk. Sizes 8 to 2. A pair \$1.95

GIRLS' STRONG SCHOOL OXFORDS in black or brown leathers. Sizes 8 to 2. A pair \$1.45

CHILDREN'S BROWN LEATHER SANDALS in sizes 5 to 2. A pair 95c

MEN'S SISMAN SOLID-LEATHER WORK BOOTS, Pano or leather sewn or nailed soles. A pair \$3.45

MEN'S BROWN ELK CAMPER OXFORDS— Sizes 6 to 11, a pair \$1.95

Boys' sizes, 1 to 5, a pair \$1.75

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor.

Cambridge Wins Boxing Tourne

Cambridge, Eng. March 9.—Our bridge yesterday evening defeated Oxford five events to two in an inter-university assault-at-arms, with the heavyweight, middleweight, featherweight and bantam events, while the Oxonians annexed the lightweight and light-heavyweight titles.

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Groceries Cash and Carry Specials for This Week's Selling

KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES
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Spencer Values In Latest Spring Styles For Saturday

Men's Tailored-to-measure Suits at \$19.75 and \$22.50



If You Want to Rejuvenate ...
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Spring Hats

Even "Blase Eighteen" will find these trim little Sports Hats as good as a spring tonic! Specially chosen for wear with Swagger Suits, they are featured in Milan, new-weave Toyo, hand-woven Baku and novelty fabric straws. Grey, beige, pheasant, schooner blue, ricky green, red, black, brown and navy. Special at

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—Millinery, First Floor

SPECIAL SALE SATURDAY OF WOOLS

Corticelli 4-ply "Australene" Yarn—in several popular colors, also black and white. Very suitable for men's sweaters and hose, and general knitting purposes.

SATURDAY ONLY! 2 for 25c
1-oz. balls, at
—Needlework, First Floor

1,000 Pairs of Medium-weight Chiffon Silk Hose

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On Sale Saturday, per pair

A permanently dull Hose of fine texture and better wearing qualities. Full fashioned, with cradle foot and extra reinforcement at toes. Shown in fashionable shades. A clearance line of first-grade Hose. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Tailored-to-measure Suits and Overcoats of Genuine Harris Tweeds \$22.50

Harris Tweeds for men are very fashionable this spring, and this special offer will be appreciated by those who desire a Suit made from this rich-looking, fine textured cloth.

Experts will measure you for a Suit or Overcoat. One of the most reliable tailoring establishments of the Dominion will make them.

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Peach Rayon, with ecrú lace bust sections. Back hook, uplift style. Each
Deep Brassieres of pink rayon-striped cotton, with back hook and elastic at waistline. Price
Front-hook Brassieres, with built-up shoulders and inset of elastic in shoulder and elastic insets in waist line. Well shaped for the full figure. Made of pink striped cotton. Price
—Corsets, First Floor



Children's New Wash Frocks

At Real Sale Prices

Here are all the new spring styles—for the school girl or tiny tot—and priced so low as to make this a real sale event!

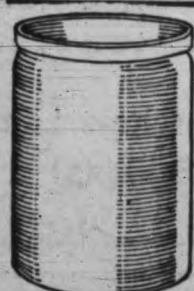
Polka Dots are featured in these attractive Pantie Frocks for tiny tots of 2 to 6 years. Newest styles, with frilly collars, puff sleeves, etc., and all kinds of coin spots, pin dots and fancy polka dots.

Special, each **69c**

Dainty Print Dresses, with white organdie trimming. An attractive selection of styles and shades.

Sizes 6 to 14 years. Special, each **\$1.00**

—Children's Wear, First Floor



A New Shipment of Stone Crock

Crocks for preserving eggs, making wine and beer, pickling, keeping bread, cakes, etc. Stocked in all sizes.

1-gallon size, without cover. Special **15c**

1-gallon size, with cover, each **30c**
2-gallon size, with cover, each **55c**
3-gallon size, with cover, each **90c**
4-gallon size, with cover, each **\$1.20**
5-gallon size, with cover, each **\$1.65**
6-gallon size, with cover, each **\$1.95**
8-gallon size, with cover, each **\$2.95**
10-gallon size, with cover, each **\$3.50**

—China, Lower Main Floor

Saturday Hardware Specials

Ironing Boards, 4½-feet long. Each **59c**
Mop Sticks, with spring to hold cloth **19c**
Self-wringing Mops. Regular 75c, for **49c**
Enamel Pails, 12-quart size. Each **99c**
No. 80 Nickel-plated Copper Tea Kettles. Regular, each, \$2.50, for **\$1.89**
6-cup Aluminum Teapots. Regular \$1.00, for **69c**
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Pyrit Ovenproof Cooking Ware—such as—
Custard Cups. Special, each, **6c**, **7c** and **8c**
Oval Pie Dishes. Special at **7c** to **30c**
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Tailored From New Tweeds Are Favorites This Spring

We show either belted or swagger style Coats in the smartest new tweed mixtures. Coats that are smart as well as dressy—and beautifully tailored. Shades include blue, grey, beige, brown and navy—all examples of the newest models most fashionable this season. Very satisfactory value, each,

\$19.75

—Mantles, First Floor



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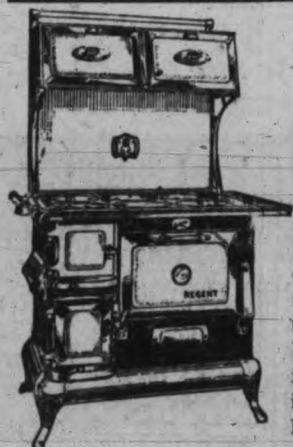
Sport Sweat Shirts with crew neck, white only; all sizes. Each **\$1.19**
White Sport Shirts with collar zipper front and one pocket. Navy, camel, green, light blue and white. Special each **\$1.50**
All-wool Coat Sweaters with V-neck and two pockets. Grey and heather shades; all sizes **\$2.25**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Special Roast Chicken Luncheon, 40c

Saturday, 11.30 to 2.30

—Diningroom, Third Floor



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4 only—Fawcett Pansy Ranges, in full nickel and enamel finish. All three-ply steel asbestos lined body, 6-lid polished top, 20x16-inch reinforced baking oven, coal and wood fire box that can be adjusted to take a 24-inch stick of wood if necessary. All nickel base on legs. Oven thermometer, including large Cup Waterfront. Reg. price \$90.00, for **\$70.00**

5 only—Large Cabinet Gas Ranges, in full enamel finish. Has 2 18-inch enamel baking and broiling ovens, fitted with thermometer; also large utility drawer, enamel drip tray and four heavy enamel star burners. Regular price, each, \$80.00. On sale for **\$42.50**

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—Stoves, Lower Main Floor

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Saturday Specials in the Staples Dept.

Grey Wool Blankets, large size, 66x84 inches. Per pair, for **\$4.75**
Indian Blankets, for car-seat covers, couch throws, etc. Each **\$2.59**
Loose Covers for comforters, finished in panel effects. Each **\$2.95**
Loose Covers for pillows, in black and white striped ticking. Each **29c**
Fully Bleached Sheets, giving the extra length so often desired.

Size 68x99 inches, a pair, for **\$2.95**
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Quilted Table or Mattress Protectors, with bound ends. Size 42x60 inches, each, for **\$1.75**
Size 39x76 inches, each, for **\$2.25**
Size 54x76 inches, each, for **\$2.75**
Plate size, in round or oval shape. 3 for **25c**
Cheese Cloth, 5 yds. to pkg., for **19c**

—Staples, Main Floor

New Spring Caps for Men

Special, 95c

We offer these fine quality Caps in newest styles and patterns. All have fancy lining and rubber water-proof visors.

—Men's Caps, Main Floor

Men's Negligee Shirts

Regular \$2.50 Each,

for **\$1.65**

Excellent quality Arrow brand Shirts with collar attached or separate collars. Smart patterns, attractive colorings. A choice of three sleeve lengths.

BROADCLOTH SHIRTS, \$1.00

Shirts with collar attached or separate collars; all sizes. Collars in latest styles.

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In Newest Shades and Styles Medium and Light Weights

\$3.50

Fine Fur Felt Hats that will conform to your head. Styles with snap brims, bound or cut edges. Narrow, medium and wide ribbons. Shown in all the newest shades for spring and beautifully lined.

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Spencer's "Monogram" Oil Shingle Stain—covers like paint. Red, chocolate, green and black. Gallon **\$1.70**
5 gallons **\$8.00**

Spencer's House Paint for interior or exterior use. All colors—
Gallon **\$2.50**
Half-gallon **\$1.40**
Quart **80c**
Pint **50c**

Spencer's Outside Porch Paint, battleship grey. A quart, **95c**

—Paints Department

GLASS TUMBLERS

Cut and etched. Special **6 for 50c**

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Smart new models in black or brown leather—in a wide choice of lasts and widths. Sizes up to 12. A pair **\$6.00**



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Knox W.M.A. Hear Talks on Missions

The members of Knox Church Women's Missionary Auxiliary assembled in the Sunday schoolroom yesterday afternoon for their March meeting. A goodly number were in attendance and the president, Miss Sutherland, in the chair. The meeting was opened with a hymn and prayer by the president, while Mrs. Chas. Coutts and Mrs. W. Wilson followed with a Scripture reading and prayer.

Mrs. Coutts expressed her grateful thanks to the society for the life membership certificate received in recognition of her work as recording secretary for many years. After roll call with a verse of Scripture, finances for the year were reported by the treasurer, Mrs. W. Wilson. Mrs. Cooper, key woman, received the quarterly contributions towards the deficit fund.

A letter was read from Mrs. R. A. Brown, billing convenor for the provincial W.M.A. meeting to be held in St. Andrew's Church on March 13 and 14. Mrs. John Dempsey, assistant convenor from Knox Church, reported the progress of the work. A letter from the exchange secretary was read, giving names of different papers written by members which could be obtained at any time by communication.

A communication was received from Mrs. W. Wilson expressing her appreciation of sympathetic words during her bereavement in the loss of her brother. The president requested a letter of sympathy be written to Mr. and Mrs. D. Gosse, 1212 Queen's Avenue, in the loss of their young son, Douglas. After contributions were received for the supper to be held on March 13 and two young ladies, Miss M. McPhail and Mrs. Partridge, invited to assist, interesting five-minute talks were given by Mrs. John Dempsey, Mrs. W. Wilson and Mrs. D. McCall on the work of Dr. McKay in Formosa, Rev. W. Cropper and Miss Cropper in Denmar, British Columbia, and that of Dr. Buchanan, who has labored for thirty-five years, and especially of the three years' work in the M. G. Abernethy Memorial Children's Nursing Home at Amkhat, India, in the latter part of 1933. Mrs. Wilson, who recently passed to her reward.

Miss Mary McPhail read an interesting paper on the work of Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Young, where nineteen societies are at work in Japan. Mrs. Coutts gave an interesting account of the distinguished services of Dr. Jessie MacBean at the Hackett Medical College, South China. The long-service medal was awarded to her recently.

The meeting was closed by members repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison.

TRANSLATION BILL

Ottawa, March 9. (Canadian Press).—The bill to consolidate in one bureau the ninety translators serving the various departments of the government, subject earlier this week of a long and sometimes bitter debate in which the attack was led by French-speaking members of the opposition, was given second reading yesterday without a recorded vote, and sent to the civil service committee.

NO HANDLING COST WITH GAS—THE MODERN FUEL GAS DEPARTMENT B.C. ELECTRIC

"Now I Feel Full of Pep"

That's what women say after they take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It tones up the whole system—quiets quivering nerves—gives them the extra energy they need—makes trying times endurable. Read these letters.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

News of Clubwomen

Centennial Busy Bees—A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Foster, 649 Dunedin Street, on Wednesday, March 14, from 2 until 5 o'clock, under the auspices of the Centennial Busy Bees.

St. Mary's Rummage Sale—St. Mary's Ladies' Guild will hold a rummage sale in St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, on Tuesday next, March 13, at 2:30 p.m. Articles will be collected on telephoning Mrs. H. H. Cullis, E 9276.

Grand Lodge to Meet—Capital City Royal True Blues met recently to complete arrangements for the coming Grand Lodge sessions, which will be held Friday and Saturday, March 16 and 17. It was decided to open the local lodge at 9:30 on the Friday morning. It is requested as many members as possible attend the Grand Lodge. The banquet is in the hands of the social committee, Sister Doherty in charge. Next Tuesday will be the last practice for the team. All officers are asked to attend.

WOMEN ASK FOR MAGGOT FARM

Canadian Press

Edmonton, March 9. — Edmonton may possibly boast of a new industry in the form of a maggot farm. The Fairview United Farm Women of Alberta have their request granted. They have passed a resolution urging the Alberta government to establish one in the capital city because of the maggot's curative effects when used in certain types of blood poisoning or cases of chronic bone infection. The resolution has been sent to W. H. Bailey, M.P.P. for Peace River, to bring the matter before the Legislature.

The women's organization conceived the novel idea after Gordon Fairbairn, seventeen, who developed a severe case of osteomyelitis from a maggot bite, and "dinner-table" was bedridden, had his leg completely healed when the doctor applied the maggot treatment. Carefully sterilized "meat maggots" were used by the doctor. Dr. R. M. Bow, deputy minister of health, thinks it is unlikely there would be sufficient call for the parasites to warrant the government going into the maggot farming business.

SEEK RYCKMAN WILL PROBATE

Toronto, March 9. — The National Trust Company yesterday applied for probate of the will of the late Hon. Edmund Ryckman, former Minister of National Revenue. The will disposes of an estate of \$799,008. Mrs. Ryckman is given use of the residence during her lifetime. A legacy of \$10,000 is given to each of the late Mr. Ryckman's three sisters. Mrs. Ryckman receives the income from the estate, the residue is to be held in trust for the three children.

Oppose Music In Beer Parlors

Rockland Park branch, W.C.T.U., held a meeting recently in the Y.W.C.A. when a resolution against the granting of the request of the Musicians' Union to play in beer parlors and other places where liquor is served was adopted and ordered sent to the Attorney-General.

On Easter Monday a meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pettigrew, 1153 Pandora Avenue, and on May 7 special "Mother's Day" meeting at the home of Mrs. J. P. Hicks, 617 Drake Avenue.



"Every month I suffered and I was nervous and weak. I bought one bottle of your Vegetable Compound and got relief right away. I feel much stronger now. I am better able to do my housework and I am not so nervous."—MRS. KARL SCHULMANN, Fenwood, Saskatchewan.

INTERESTED IN DOG SHOW PLANS



Miss Deryl McCulloch, who is shown above with one of her Cairns, is an active member of the Junior Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital, which is sponsoring the Victoria Kennel Club's show to be held on May 19.

B.C. Supplies For B.C. Work Camps

Provincial Council of Women Endorses Stand Taken By M.P.P.'s on Matter

Aid to Ex-prisoners and Restoration of Mothers' Pensions Also Urged

Approval of the stand taken in the Legislature by George M. Murray, M.P.P. for Lillooet; D. W. Strachan, M.P.P. for Dewdney, and Frank Putnam, M.P.P. for Nelson-Creston, against the alleged unfair methods, under which meat from Alberta is supplied to the relief camps of British Columbia, instead of B.C. products, was expressed by the Provincial Council of Women at its annual session here yesterday.

The matter was brought to the attention of the meeting by Mrs. Hageman of New Westminster, who read press reports of the references made in the Legislature concerning the practice of the National Department of Defence in ignoring the claims of B.C. farmers to sell their beef and other products to the camps, the supplies being sent from Calgary under orders from the military headquarters.

The council reiterated its stand on the principle of supporting home industries. EX-PRISONERS AID

The need of furnishing transportation, either to their domicile, or to the point of arrest, or an equal distance, for prisoners released from Okalla after serving their sentence, was urged in a resolution sponsored by New Westminster Local Council and endorsed by the provincial group.

The resolution from New Westminster asking that the younger men be segregated in the relief camps created much interesting discussion, which elicited the general opinion that the whole system of relief camps is wrong and that it would be infinitely better to take measures to re-absorb these younger men into normal life.

Mrs. Hageman of New Westminster, in speaking to the resolution, pointed out that it was intended as an emergency resolution designed to meet the present condition, and the council thereupon endorsed it.

The council also endorsed the motion asking for the institution of a minimum wage for boys. MOTHERS' PENSIONS

Mother's pensions and their reductions were discussed, together with the cost of administration, the matter being brought up in a resolution sponsored by the Vancouver Local Council and asking that the full pension called for in the act be restored to the mothers and that the administration be again placed in the hands of the provincial government.

It was recommended that the councils make a close study of the report of the Harper commission on the subject.

The principle of health examination for both men and women before marriage was endorsed, the concentration of opinion being that such a step could be attained by education of young people rather than through legislative means. It was left to the provincial executive to discuss the best means of making this effective.

The world control, by a permanent international commission, of such raw materials as nickel and tungsten, was advocated in a resolution moved by the New Westminster council and endorsed by the provincial body.

The gathering passed a motion of congratulation to Mrs. Rowatt on the

conferring of a C.B.E. on her husband in the New Year's honours list, and the secretary was instructed to send a letter conveying the message, and also expressing appreciation of Mrs. Rowatt's long service to the National Council in the office of corresponding secretary, from which she recently retired.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS Mrs. Bagley, in her presidential address, recalled the organization of the Kamloops Council last November, and told of having visited all the other councils in British Columbia. Unemployment, particularly as it concerned single women, had been the major cause of the provincial council during the year. Mrs. Bagley reiterated her opinion that women should be represented on every board or agency administering relief.

OFFICERS RE-ELECTED Officers re-elected were: President, Mrs. A. C. Bagley, Vancouver; vice-president, Miss S. R. Crease, Victoria; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. W. Murray, New Westminster; recording secretary-treasurer, Miss E. J. Stevens, North Vancouver.

A motion was passed that, if possible, the provincial president be British Columbia's delegate to the annual National Council meeting in Ottawa in October. It was also decided to start a delegates' fund into which any surplus from the provincial fund may be placed.

LOCAL COUNCIL REPORTS Mrs. A. C. Ross presented the report of the Local Council of Women of Victoria, showing eight new societies had affiliated since the annual meeting. Council meeting in Ottawa in October. It was also decided to start a delegates' fund into which any surplus from the provincial fund may be placed.

LOVE OF AIMEE'S DAUGHTER FADES



Love that flourished on a round-the-world cruise three years ago has withered for Roberta Semple Smyth, above, daughter of Evangelist Aimee Semple McPherson. Married in Singapore to William Bradley Smyth, ship's purser, Mrs. Smyth is suing for divorce in Los Angeles.

PERSONAL

Mrs. M. A. Barnes, formerly of Langford, has taken up residence at 2123 Chambers Street, Victoria.

Mrs. Sanford Hirsch of Portland, Ore., is at the Empress Hotel on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivo Henderson (nee Audain) left on Wednesday for Portland, Oregon, from which port they sail to-morrow for Shanghai.

Mrs. A. McNally and Mrs. G. E. A. Rice, of Lethbridge, Alta., arrived in the city yesterday and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Arnold Hanna, wife of the member for the Comox constituency, is here from Alberni, spending the week with Mr. Hanna.

Mr. C. R. Bull, well-known fruit rancher of Kelowna, Okanagan Valley, arrived in the city yesterday and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McLaws of Calgary, who reached the city yesterday from Alberta, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. W. H. Booth has returned to her home in Esquimaux Road after spending the last two weeks at Port Alberni, visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown.

The Misses Thelma Stratford, Hilda Jacques, Kathleen Mann, Lulu Bond and Kathleen Gregson will give an interpretation of the Swanee River tap dance at the Empress Hotel supper dance to-morrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Funston Jr. of Hamilton, Ont., who arrived in the city yesterday from the east, are planning to leave to-day for Southern California. Mr. Funston is president of Firestone Tire and Rubber Company Ltd. of Canada.

Mrs. E. Milne, 604 Seventh Avenue, New Westminster, announces the engagement of her niece, Miss Mary C. Anderson, to Mr. William Collins (Bill) Spouse, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spouse, 867 Humboldt Street, the wedding to take place in April.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Pouliot of Port William, Ont., who have been visiting in Victoria as the guests of Mrs. Pouliot's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Dawson, Douglas Street, left yesterday evening for the mainland on their return to their home in the east.

Comte and Comtesse Jean de Sumanet and their daughter, Miss Jacqueline Sumanet, together with Miss Sumanet's brother, Mr. Sumanet, the liner Empress of Japan to-morrow evening on an extended holiday trip to the Orient, during which they will visit China, Japan and French Indo-China.

Mrs. Kenneth G. Tatlow, Brighton Avenue, returned yesterday afternoon to her home in Victoria after spending a few days in Vancouver, having accompanied her parents, Major and Mrs. J. Hamilton, to the mainland on their return to their home in the interior after spending several months in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. William Arden of "Fernholme," Metcalen, and their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Silburn of Victoria and Mrs. W. Cairns of Sooke, returned yesterday afternoon to Victoria from Vancouver, where they went to attend the wedding of their youngest daughter, Ella Louise, and Mr. Ernest Swale, the took place there on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. T. P. Pattullo, wife of the Premier, was at home to a large number of guests this afternoon at her charming home on Beach Drive, where from a large window she had an uninterrupted view of the Olympic and Straits of Juan de Fuca. A profusion of tulips in various colors, anthuriums, blue and purple iris and freesias, were effectively used in floral decoration throughout the reception rooms. The tea table was centered with an artistic combination of spring flowers, and was presided over by Mrs. J. A. Macdonald and Mrs. Gordon Sloan for the first hour, and Mrs. F. M. MacPherson and Mrs. C. M. Weir for the second hour. Mrs. William Sloan, Mrs. John Hart and Mrs. Pattullo's daughter, Mrs. Clifford Collier, were in charge of the reception rooms, while assisting in serving in the dining-room were Mrs. Norman Whitaker, Miss Norma MacDonald, Miss Elizabeth Edwards and Miss Doreen McGregor.

WANT BLANKETS FOR T.B. PATIENT

The Esquimalt Friendly Help is appealing for blankets for the use of a tuberculous man, whose condition necessitates his sleeping out-of-doors and whose means do not permit of the purchase of the necessary warm bedding. An appeal is also made for a large warm dressing gown for a poor woman in hospital. Anyone having such donations is kindly asked to communicate with E 5260.



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Over 200 Attend Provincial Council Reception to Mrs. Paul Smith

Cabinet Ministers Among Guests at Delightful Affair Yesterday

Over 200 guests, including members of the Legislature and their wives and representatives of women's organizations, joined in honoring Mrs. Paul Smith, M.P.P., at the delightful reception held at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon.

The affair was sponsored by women of which Mrs. Smith was president for several years, and which held its annual sessions here yesterday.

SPECIAL PROGRAMME A delightful musical programme included two songs charmingly sung by Mrs. T. H. Johns, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Dorothy Gough, who also contributed piano solos in her usual inimitable style. Tea arrangements were in charge of Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes and Mrs. J. W. Gibson, assisted by Mrs. Llewellyn, Mrs. J. Galbraith, Mrs. Lloyd Morgan, Mrs. D. W. Burnett, Mrs. de Blaquiere, Mrs. Hugh Mackenzie, Mrs. Wm. Russell, Mrs. J. L. White, Mrs. William McManus, Mrs. Lynn, Mrs. George Holt, Mrs. A. C. Ross, Mrs. F. M. McGowan, Mrs. Doreen McGregor, Mrs. Angus, the servers being supplied by the University Women's Club; Miss L. B. Maxwell, Miss D. Hays, Miss J. Thomson and Mrs. Archibald.

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SPECIAL GUESTS Bows of spring flowers and flowering plants enhanced the attractiveness of the lower lounge, where the reception was held. The head table, attractively arranged with bowls of Japanese plum blossom and daffodils, ran the length of the room, and at it were seated Mrs. A. C. Bagley, Provincial Council president, Mrs. Paul Smith and the special guests, Mrs. John Hart and Mrs. G. M. Weir presided at the urns at the principal guest table; Mrs. Herbert Anson and Mrs. Alfred Carmichael at the buffet table.

The specially invited guests included: Premier and Mrs. T. D. Pattullo; Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir and Mrs. Weir; Hon. John Hart and Mrs. Hart; Hon. G. M. Sloan and Mrs. Sloan; Hon. G. S. Pearson and Mrs. Pearson; Hon. A. Wells Gray and Mrs. Gray; Hon. F. M. MacPherson and Mrs. MacPherson; Hon. K. C. MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald; Hon. H. G. Perry and Mrs. Perry; Rev. Robert Connell and Mrs. Connell; Mrs. Alan Morrell; Mrs. J. B. Thomson and Mrs. W. R. J. Piggott presided.

The young couple will take up residence at Eighth Avenue, Port Alberni.

Dutchess Leaves \$1,000,000 For U.S. Hospitals

Rome, March 9. — The millionaire Dutchess Virginia D'Arcos, the former Virginia Whitbury Lowery of Washington, D.C., died yesterday of pneumonia at the age of eighty. She was the widow of Duke Burnett D'Arcos, who once was the Spanish ambassador to Washington and Rome.

The duchess left a will fifteen pages long, in which she gave \$1,000,000 to United States institutions, including hospitals and libraries.

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"Not long ago, Ellen, aged seventeen, came off one of the boats and was noticed by the Travelers' Aid to be rather bewildered. She said she was going to an uncle, a Mr. Smith, living up-island. When her new friend took her to the bus, a difficulty arose. Mr. Smith went to Vancouver yesterday, announced the bus driver, when the girl was put in his charge. 'Well, that does complicate matters. You come along to the Y for the night and we'll see what can be done in the morning,' and the Travelers' Aid took the youngster under her wing. Early next morning they met the Vancouver boat, and sure enough, there was a uncle who had gone to Vancouver to meet the girl.

"Olga, aged twelve and her little brother Boris, aged nine came all the way from Vladivostok alone, to join their parents in Seattle. Olga knew but little English and she found a new country very strange. Clutching Boris tightly by the hand she followed a man who led them up to a lady who said she was the Travelers' Aid. Olga didn't know what that meant, but the lady smiled and took them both to the Y for dinner and kept them there until time for the Seattle boat. The stewardess looked after them and another Travelers' Aid lady met them in Seattle and took them to their parents' home.

This most necessary community work is going on all the time and countless tragedies are averted by the kindly offices of these officials of the Y.W.C.A. The general public will have an opportunity to contribute to this service to humanity in the combined financial campaign of the Y.M.C.A. and the Y.W.C.A. next week.

ST. ALBAN'S SILVER TEA—At a meeting of the St. Alban's Sunday school teachers, held recently at the home of Rev. F. W. and Mrs. Weaver, arrangements were made to hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. E. Andrews, 1734 Albert Avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, March 14, from 2.30 until 5 o'clock. There will be stalls of home cooking and candy.

AUNT HET

BY ROBERT GUILLEN



"Amy wouldn't tank automobiles had made the world worse if she could remember when men set around home in their undershirts all day Sunday."

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"POLITICAL MARRIAGE" RUMORED FOR THEM



A marriage between Archduke Otto of Austria (right) and lovely Princess Maria of Italy (left) is regarded in European political circles as a possibility in the effort of Monarchists to make Otto King of Austria. The match, it is said, would cement Austro-Austrian friendship and increase the chance of the twenty-one-year-old heir of the Hapsburgs being declared Austrian king. This is the most recent picture of the rarely photographed throne pretender.

CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL AIDS THOUSANDS OF B.C. CHILDREN

J. W. Gibson Tells Provincial Council Women of Novel School System

Over 4,000 Isolated Youngsters Enjoy Elementary and High School Courses

Over 4,000 children, resident in isolated settlements in British Columbia so remote from schools as to prohibit their attendance, have benefitted by the educational facilities provided by the correspondence school course under the Provincial Department of Education since its inception in 1919.

This was one of the many interesting statements made by J. W. Gibson, who has charge of this branch of the work, in his address before the Provincial Council of Women at its final session yesterday evening, in which he described the romance of the government's correspondence school, which gives both elementary and high school courses.

"GOOD TEACHER" FALLACY Describing as a fallacy the generally accepted belief that a good teacher is one who can teach any subject to any child, Mr. Gibson declared that learning cannot be imparted. "The successful teacher is one who can facilitate the learning process of a child, who can teach to think for itself, who can offer a stimulus to a child to acquire for itself what we call education."

He advanced this to support his claim that a good classroom performer is not essential, but that the correspondence-school system could, by giving the right guidance and right stimulus to the student, arouse in him or her that spirit of self-mastery which is the keynote of success in education.

Mr. Gibson delved back into history to trace the origin of the system, which was an outgrowth of a Chautauque meeting in 1879, when Dr. Parker, who later became president of the University of Chicago, arranged a series of studies for several youths at their request.

Since then the movement had grown to vast proportions, and was first adopted in British Columbia in 1919, when John Kyle acceded to the request of a lighthouse keeper to supply textbooks for his children. This led to the creation of the system for a correspondence school in elementary education, and in 1929 Mr. Gibson started in this province a movement, new to Canada and almost new to the United States, by providing high school correspondence courses, thus giving equality of opportunity along educational lines to those in the outlying districts who desired to take up high school studies.

Mr. Gibson enunciated the various qualifications for those taking the course, which generally is limited to children living more than three miles from a high school, except in cases where physical incapacity prevents a child from attending school, or in cases where the needs of the home necessitate the boy or girl taking a job, yet are anxious to continue their studies in their leisure hours.

The course is free to boys and girls under fifteen, except for the registration fee, and over fifteen there is a sliding scale, which is but a fraction of what is charged by the commercial schools. But where there is obvious inability to pay, no tuition fee is charged, he observed.

APPEAL TO WOMEN Mr. Gibson spoke of the difficulty experienced by some poor families in purchasing the necessary school books, even when fees are remitted, and appealed to the women's organizations to do anything they could to meet this problem. The I.O.D.E. had been giving valuable help in this direction, he said.

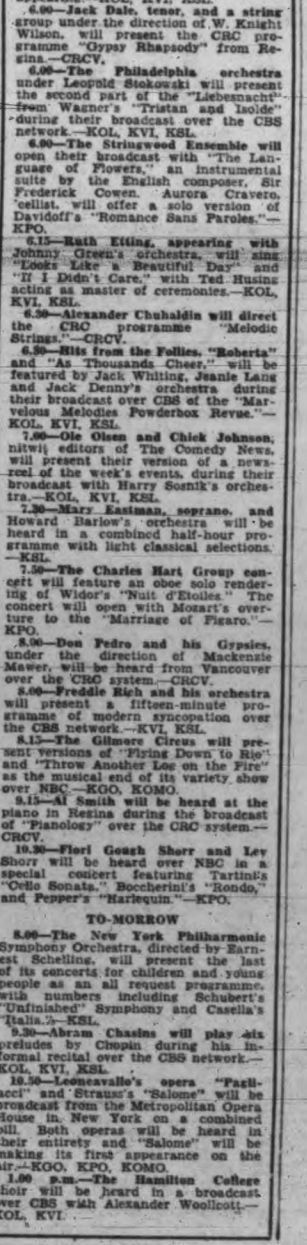
The various courses were outlined, which included all of the sciences, biology, chemistry, agriculture, domestic science and a very fine health course.

HEADLINERS ON RADIO TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW

TO-NIGHT
5.30—The March of Time, dramatizing the events of the world's news, 15-day series, fourth year on the air. Hosted by Jack Whiting. KOL, KVI, KSL.
6.00—The Philadelphi orchestra under Leopold Stokowski will broadcast the second part of the "Liedenacht" from Wagner's "Tristan and Isolde" during their broadcast over the CBC network. KOL, KVI, KSL.
6.15—The Philadelphi orchestra will open their broadcast with "The Language of Flowers," an instrumental suite by the English composer, Sir Frederick Cowen. Aurora Gravenor, singing in a solo version of Wagner's "Romance and Parades." KPO.
6.30—Alexander Chabakoff will direct the CBC program "Melodie d'Amour." KVI, KSL.
6.45—The Philadelphi orchestra will broadcast "The Marriage of Figaro," an instrumental suite by the English composer, Sir Frederick Cowen. Aurora Gravenor, singing in a solo version of Wagner's "Romance and Parades." KPO.
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WOMEN STALK MOVIE HEROES

Feminine Part of Big City Goes Silly Over Stars; Traffic Blocked

New York, March 9.—The town has gone silly over movie stars. And it is a ten-to-one shot that psychologists who talk about "the predatory male" have never watched a mob of women stalking Clark Gable.

Or Buddy Rogers or Max Baer, for that matter. And Guy Robertson, star of a current musical, is being made miserable these days by autograph hunters because he looks like James Cagney. Gels so mad, he says, that he'd like to haul off and sock a few dithery flappers—except that then they'd know he was Cagney, and love it.

Movie-struck kids even pause in front of a book shop on upper Broadway to remind each other that Joan Blumfeld, once, looked like that. Or go past the restaurant that has the high-chair that is supposed to have belonged to Mae West.

Sports traffic on the slopes of Central Park stopped the other afternoon when Jeanette MacDonald and Bob Fosse were coasting there. . . . And there was a minor riot at the stage premiere of "Dodsworth" when such Hollywooders as Paul Muni, the Marxes, Edmund Lowe, Harry Warner and Rouben Mamoulian passed under the marquee.

NATIONAL WHEAT BOARD

Regina, March 9 (Canadian Press).—Establishment of a national wheat board by the Dominion Government to handle the 1934 crop is sought by the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities. A resolution that the association petition the Dominion to this effect was passed at yesterday's session of the convention.

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Seven Out of Ten Are Victims But Writer Tells How "Uratabs" Bring Swift, Amazing Relief With Renewed Vital Force

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Local Council of Women—The Local Council will hold a luncheon at the Hudson's Bay Company on Monday, March 12, at 12.30. Miss Gladys Marchant will be the soloist. The luncheon will be followed by the monthly meeting at the same place, commencing at 2 o'clock.

Modern APARTMENTS in the WANT ADS

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When the above picture was taken the thirty-two-year-old son of the late King Albert was riding through streets of Brussels to St. Gudule Cathedral, where he took the path. He was garbed in the uniform of a lieutenant-general. Many thousands of citizens saw the procession.

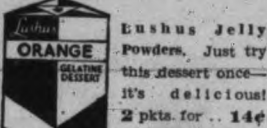
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3 tins for .75c
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Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

NURSING MOTHER MAY EAT ORDINARY DIET

Mothers are inevitably the victims of some commonplace and erroneous conceptions about the ceremony of nursing. One of these is the idea that if a feeding is skipped and some other food substituted, there will be more milk for the next feeding. But this is merely a temporary result. Eventually, if this practice is continued, there will be less and less

milk with weaning just around the corner.

WATCH BABY'S REACTION

Another misconception is "that there are certain foods which give babies colic and these foods are, therefore, taboo. It is quite possible that some babies may have colic because of too scanty a breast supply, or because of too frequent nursing. With rare exceptions a particular food is not to blame. When it is, we may suspect that the baby is sensitive to this particular food when eaten by the mother, but it is an individual peculiarity. If the baby cries after his mother has partaken of cabbage or chocolate or eggs or whatnot, it is desirable that the mother delete this particular food from her diet. We should not condemn this food for all mothers but recognize that for this particular baby it seems to have an undesirable reaction.

In the main the success of breast feeding depends upon two factors:

First, a good wholesome diet, suited to the mother's own digestion and capable of providing her with all the necessary food elements; second, a thorough emptying and regular stimulation of the breast.

ORDINARY DIET

The diet may consist of those foods to which the mother is accustomed: Meat, potatoes, all kinds of vegetables and fruits. In addition if she takes milk well, two to four glasses of milk a day are a desirable beverage. Milk provides an abundance of calcium, an element essential to the pregnant and nursing mother.

The rhythm of activity of the breast should be established. Nature responds to regularity. The breasts should be emptied at exact and definite hours, so that at these hours they may respond with a more abundant flow of milk.

To fulfill these requirements is simple enough. Good, wholesome nutrition and regular, orderly empty-

ing of the breasts result in the baby's perfect satisfaction with his ration. Send for my leaflet, "The Nursing Mother," which offers additional helpful pointers. A self-addressed, stamped envelope should accompany your request for the leaflet.

REFUSES TO ACT WITH MAE WEST

Hollywood, March 9.—George Raft, screen actor, yesterday notified his producers he would not play opposite Mae West in a forthcoming screen production. Studio officials said another actor would be chosen.

Sequences in the picture call for a number of close-ups of Mae West with the back of the leading man to the camera. It was this fact to which Raft was reported to have objected.

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A WOMAN ASKS:

"What qualities do men want in wives, anyway? We see men who possess living pictures who never look at them. We see men married to spellbinders who spend their evenings reading the newspapers. We see men fleeing to Reno from wives who are angels on earth. We see the husbands of domestic wives everywhere, except at their own firesides. And we observe that the men whose wives worship them are mostly bestowing their affections on somebody else. So what?"

I can answer that question in one word: MODERATION. Men may not even know it themselves, but it is a fact that the quality they most desire in their wives is moderation. They may admire charms and virtues that have raised to the 10th degree in other women, but when it comes to the women to whom they are married and with whom they have to live they like just enough, but not too much of even the most desirable attributes in a wife. Nor is this strange. It is just as you might relish a highly seasoned dish once in a while, but would not crave it as your daily food. You would prefer roast beef and potatoes.

A man, for instance, wants his wife to be beautiful, but not too beautiful. Actually he prefers prettiness to beauty in the woman he marries. He desires her to be easy on the eyes, but not so spectacularly good looking as to catch the eyes of other men nor cause people to draw invidious comparisons between his appearance and hers when they go out in public. That beauty-and-the-beast stuff doesn't make a bit with husbands.

A man doesn't want a wife whose beauty sets her apart as a parlor ornament, and that will require him to work his fingers to the bone to provide a luxurious background for it. He wants a wife whose pulchritude is about grade B or C, and who won't be afraid of trying out her complexion over the kitchen stove. You will find that the beauty of any community seldom makes the best match. Girls who are merely pretty walk off with all the best catches.

Men want their wives to be intelligent, but not highbrow. And by no means so clever as they are. A man desires a wife who reads and keeps up with the times and who can interest and amuse him, but he doesn't want one who corrects his grammar and pronunciation and who makes him feel that she is his intellectual superior.

The moment a wife gives her husband an inferiority complex it is all over but the divorce. He is out on a still hunt for some woman who will make him feel that she regards him as an oracle. The ideal wife is the one who begins every sentence with "John says," and who has sense enough never to let her husband find out how smart she really is.

A man likes a wife with a sense of humor. He wants her to be able to laugh off his little faults and foibles and to joke and not cry about the time he came home from a party so lit up he couldn't find the keyhole. Or the time he let some pretty little innocent-eyed flapper weep a hundred dollar out of him with a phoney hard-luck story.

A man likes his wife to have enough sense of humor to catch the point in all of his pet stories, but he doesn't want her to think she is a humorist and to tell funny stories herself. Nor does he want her to have a sense of humor acute enough to enable her to see how funny he is with his fussy little ways. Men never like witty women, nor women who laugh a lot. They are always afraid that they are laughing at them.

Men like for their wives to be domestic. They want wives who are thrifty and good managers and good cooks, but they don't want wives who never come out of the kitchen, so to speak, and who always smell of bread and butter. They want wives who know when to pinch a penny and when to fling a dollar at the birds, wives who can spend as well as economize and who can go on a good time without counting the cost of every little bit and sup.

They want wives who can talk about something besides the price of soap meat and little Johnny's cough and the baby's new tooth. They want a wife who can run a house with one hand and play contract with the other, and who is as adept at making conversation as she is at making pies. They want wives who still stay women after they are married instead of just becoming animated vacuum cleaners.

Men want wives who love them, but they want to be loved in moderation. Reasonably. They don't want the possessive love that causes a woman to feel that her husband belongs to her body and soul, and that he has no right to a single interest outside of her. Nor do they want the devotee wives who smother their husbands with their affection until they feel as if they were being drowned in molasses. Nor do they want the jealous wife who get green-eyed if their husbands speak to another woman.

They want wives who love them enough, but not too much, who can take a man's affection for granted and not demand that he remain an impassioned lover. They want the kind of wives who love serenely, comfortably, and who make their love a blessing instead of a curse.

Perhaps mediocrity is not the most spectacular quality a woman can have but it is the one that is most potent in getting a husband and holding him after she has gotten him.

DOROTHY DIX.

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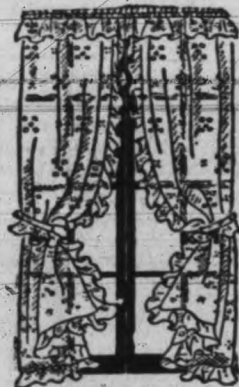
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SAYS DOOR OPEN FOR TAX ESCAPE

Portland Man's Estate Moves to Avoid Death Duty on \$40,000 in Bank Here

"When the Legislature leaves the door open in taxation, the subject is entitled to walk right through and with the Succession Duty Act the Legislature has done just that," said Harry J. Davis, in applying to Mr. Justice Robertson of the Supreme Court yesterday for probate of the estate of John M. Scott of Portland, Oregon, without payment of \$4,000 succession duty to the B.C. Government.

Mr. Scott left an estate of \$78,000, with \$40,000 of it in cash and bonds in Victoria banks. It all goes to his sister-in-law, Elizabeth Junor, 1810 Everett Street, Portland. Besides the \$4,000 succession duty, there is a probable duty of \$2,000 which the estate is not fighting. Mr. Scott died in May, 1933, and the order for probate was taken out here last June, but it was not completed before the Succession Duty Act was ruled out by the courts as ultra vires.

The fact that the estate, consisting of "bona fide debts" could be readily and entirely removed from this province without any levy, should not enter into the question before the court, Mr. Davis pointed out.

Mr. Justice Robertson dismissed Mr. Davis' application on the ground that as the whole Succession Duty Act had been declared ultra vires there could be no application under it. Mr. Davis' means of action, was by mandamus against the registrar and he was given liberty to adopt such remedies as he saw fit.

WESTERN SCOTS PLAN REUNION

Dinner to Be Held on the Eighteenth Anniversary of Departure For France

A recent meeting of members of the 67th Battalion Western Scots, it was decided to hold the annual reunion dinner at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Saturday night, March 24, at 7:45 o'clock. This date will be exactly eighteen years to the day since the battalion left Victoria for France.

Captain H. S. Thain was elected to be chairman of the dinner this year, while he and Captain R. Morrison will look after the programme. Col. Lorne Ross and Major A. E. Christie are in charge of refreshments, with a general committee of H. Broun, H. Whittingham, A. MacAulay, R. Macdon, E. Rance and R. Kline.

Tickets may be had from any of the foregoing or from Major H. H. O'Neill at the Red Cross Workshop. Major O'Neill is acting as secretary. It is expected there will be a large

SEED FUTURE IS PROMISING

P. G. James of Duncan Declares Seed-growing Takes Lots of Hard Work

"The seed industry in British Columbia is to-day only in its infancy, but the day will come when this province will be one of the main seed producing areas in Canada," stated P. G. James, of James Brothers' seed farm at Duncan, in an address before members of the Rotary Club at their luncheon yesterday in the Empress Hotel.

Many portions of the province were adaptable for certain seeds, Mr. James said, but Vancouver Island was practically the only part of the province suitable for general seed production. Grass grew more readily in the interior, he said, and the Fraser Valley was better for root seeds, but practically every seed will grow successfully on the island, particularly on the southern portion.

"Seed growers are born, not made," Mr. James stated in giving some of the highlights of the industry. "A seed grower must be a botanist, a scientist and a business man combined. Seed growing takes years of study and hard work, and all that is taken out of it during the first two or three years is a pair of overalls."

About \$9,000,000 worth of seeds were imported into Canada last year, Mr. James stated. But the day will come, he said, when growers in British Columbia, particularly on Vancouver Island, would be able to produce a large part of this amount. The imported seeds were largely beans, carrots, corn, lettuce, radishes and tomatoes. Most of these could be produced very successfully on Vancouver Island, the speaker declared.

Fertilizing was one of the big lines in the seed growing industry, Mr. James said in giving several tips on this branch. He spoke of the self-pollination plants, such as lettuce. Because of the heavy rains on the coast during the last three years the lettuce crop has been a light one, he said. Lettuce comes into bloom at sunrise, and if there is rain at the time it spoils pollination.

The land must be very carefully prepared before seed is planted, Mr. James stated. Heavy machinery must be used in this work. On their farm at Duncan, no horses were used in preparing the ground, Mr. James said.

"Nineteen years ago we saw a great future for the seed industry in British Columbia," the speaker declared. "We started with half an acre, and this year we are planting 200 acres out in seed."

On their farm at Duncan, Mr. James said, all the equipment was made in British Columbia or Canada, and all labor was white.

Following the talk, the Rotarians viewed a picture of the seed growing industry of the province, shown by Alfred Kouroun of the Department of Agriculture.

WAR BLAME PUT ON SMALL GROUPS

Henry Ford Says Masses of People Do Not Want Armed Conflicts

Fort Myers, Fla., March 8.—Charging that a small group of men were responsible for war through the manufacture of munitions, and by fostering international distrust, Henry Ford thinks United States Senator William Borah "had the right idea" in his attack on the \$500,000,000 United States navy programme and other army and navy construction.

"The people in general do not want war," said Mr. Ford, "but it has been forced on them by scheming munition makers looking for enormous profits through the sale of arms. 'I do not pay much attention to the talk about war for I have found out there is not much I can do about it as an individual. Outlawing war depends on the people. In the past they have followed the war makers. If we could get rid of the approximately 100 men responsible for wars in this world, the people would enjoy peace.'"

Kansas City, March 8.—William F. Grant, president of the American Hockey Association, said yesterday the association's champions might meet the International Hockey League winners in a playoff.

Grant said Charles King, president of the International League, has communicated with him relative to a three-game series.

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Scottish Programme in St. Paul's Church Much Enjoyed

A Scottish concert was held at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of that church. Robert Smith, who acted as guest chairman for the evening, introduced the artists in their turn.

The first artist to be introduced was Piper Andrew Pollock, who opened the programme with bagpipe selections. The programme then proceeded as follows: "My Ain Folk" and "You'd Better Ask Me" sung by Miss Mona Bradford; James Petrie

sang "McGregor's Gathering" and "Green Grow the Rushes, O." Jack Smith, who accompanied the soloists, rendered a pianoforte solo entitled "Scottish Airs," followed by "Annie Laurie" and "Mary of Argyle." In which the audience joined. Miss Catherine Craig, elocutionist, recited two very entertaining selections, "Cuddle Doon" and "Oarins," by J. J. Bell.

A solo, "Turn Ye to Me," was sung by Miss Isabel Crawford, followed by "Callin' Ou," by the same artist. Misses Elsie and Lillian Robinson sang two duets entitled "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton" and "My Highland Laddie."

"Colonel Bogie," a piano accordion solo, was played by Mr. Gerrard. John Bell, who was accompanied by J. Flindler at the piano, sang "Mary Morrison" and "An Exile from Ben Lomond."

Master Bobby McVie, in kilts, sang three amusing Harry Lauder numbers—"Why I Wear the Kilt," "Stop Your Tinkling, Jack," and "She's the Lass for Me." He was accompanied by his sister, Dorothy, at the piano. The evening closed with "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King."

BEER AND WINE MOVE SCORED

Open Sale Would Lower Hotel Standards, Says Association Member

The British Columbia Hotels' Association is strongly opposed to the sale of beer and light wines in restaurants, according to Kenneth Campbell, a member of the executive, who is now in the city in connection with the matter.

Sale of beer in hotel beer parlors under strict supervision has enabled British Columbia hotels to maintain their plant and equipment, to renovate their rooms and maintain a high standard of accommodation, Mr. Campbell stated. Extending the privilege of beer sales to restaurants which have not the heavy overheads of hotels, will only mitigate against the latter and eventually result in their standard becoming lowered to such a point that tourists will go elsewhere for their vacation trips.

"The moral, financial and economic effect upon the general public should be taken into consideration," Mr. Campbell said, "and the hotelmen claim that beer and light wines dispensed in restaurants is not conducive to any one of the three."

LECTURES ON WEST INDIES

Rev. Father Albury spoke at the March meeting of Victoria Subdivision Catholic Women's League held Wednesday on "The British West Indies." He sketched briefly their history from the landing of Columbus at Watling's Island in the Bahamas group in 1492, and dealt more fully with Nassau, his birthplace.

Father Albury spoke of the lavish tropical verdure and brightly colored flowers and brilliant birds to be seen in the 4,000 islands, ten of which are inhabited by a population of 60,000, half of whom are black. The first English governor was appointed in 1761, following a period of piracy when buccaners made the islands their rendezvous. He told of the period of "shipwrecks" when the wrecks were salvaged by the populace. There were many sharp encounters between Spanish and English and rights of possession warmly contested. At present the islands are loyal to governing colonies, which have seen great prosperity notably during

the Civil War in 1861-1865, when Nassau was the base of supplies for the southern armies, and again when the Volstead Act was enforced in the United States. Father Albury spoke of the work of the Benedictine Order, more especially of the "Catholic Apostles of the Bahamas." Father Shreiner, whose work during thirty-seven years has been highly commended. The routine business of the Victoria Subdivision was carried out and plans for the coming weeks will include hospital visiting at St. Joseph's by Mrs. Bingham and Mrs. Grant, Mrs. N. Neill reporting for the past month. Mrs. McManus and Mrs. Roberts will visit the Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Roberts reporting for last month. Taggers will be asked to assist on St. Patrick's Day for the recreation room, the tag convener, Mrs. McManus, thanked those who had volunteered for the lifeboat tag day.

A luncheon will be held at the Hudson's Bay, followed by bridge, on April 17 and on April 11 the bridge party in aid of St. Louis College will be held. Mrs. Morry will convene a sale of home cooking on Saturday before Easter. Nominations for the annual election of officers will be called for at the next meeting. A vote of sympathy was passed to the diocesan president, Mrs. R. A. Duncan, in her illness, and sincere wishes expressed for her recovery. New members were welcomed to the meeting, and a suggestion by Mrs. Radiger for the display of desirable books will be considered before next meeting. Mrs. W. C. McManus, the president, presided.

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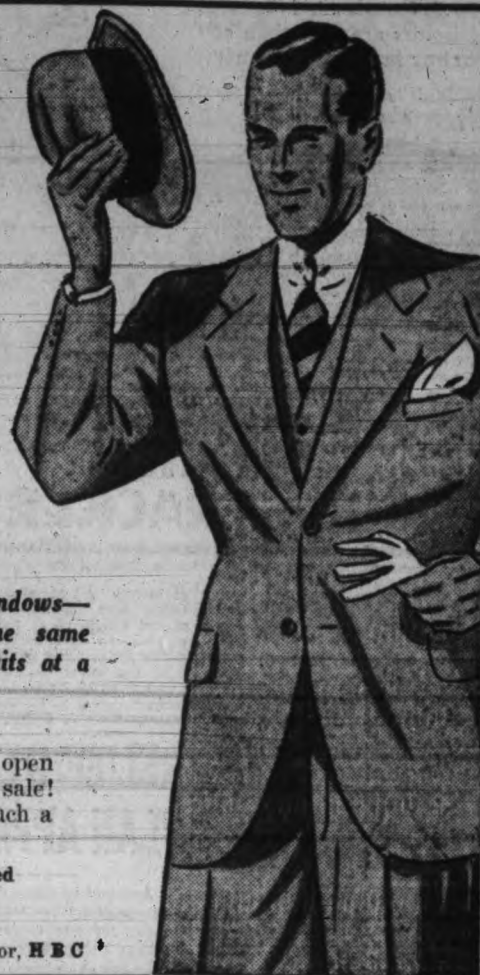
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Portland-Gilmore Clash For Title

Canadian Press
Seattle, March 9.—Victoria Blue Ribbons, Canadian men's amateur champions, met the Yakima Kittens this afternoon in a quarter final fixture to decide third place in the Pacific Northwest independent basketball tournament.

Defeated, 61 to 37, Wednesday night by Gilmore Oil in their first appearance of the tourney, Ribbons came back yesterday evening to stage a sensational last-minute rally and defeat Renton, 31 to 29.

Gilmore Oil and Portland Union Oilers, both undefeated in two starts meet to-night in the final for the championship and the right to travel east for the National A.A.U. championship at Kansas City.

Scores of other games yesterday evening follow:
Gilmore-Oilers, 42; Yakima Kittens 27.
Portland Union Oilers 24, Chehalis American Legion 16.
Tacoma 34, Spokane 18.
Ribbons trailed the King County League champions until fifteen seconds from the final whistle, when two lightning fast baskets by Art Chapman and Al Imrie gave the Canadian titlists the victory.

Renton took a 9 to 0 lead in the first quarter. Ribbons started to find the range in the second quarter, but were still down, 16 to 9, at half-time.

Ribbons in Rally
Renton kept up a hot pace in the second half and in the first ten minutes ran in thirteen points to Ribbons' eleven. With eight minutes to go Chuck Chapman, rated one of the smartest guards in the Northwest on a Seattle floor, teamed up with Tommy Forbes and Imrie and ran in seven points without a return.

Fifteen seconds before the end Art Chapman, Victoria centre, tossed in a long shot to tie up the score.

Only seconds remained, long enough for a tip-off. Chapman again grabbed the ball, snapped a perfect pass to Imrie standing under the ribbon basket and the ribbon forward landed the sphere into the basket for the winning points just as the gun sounded ending the game.

Chuck Chapman's great work on defence held Renton's high scorer, Carlson, to eight points during the game. Forbes was another star, sinking for long shots in the final quarter for eight valuable points.

After the game, the Gilmore-Portland final of the Victoria-Tacoma clash plays the winner of the Yakima-Chehalis game for third place.

The box score follows:
Victoria (31).....FG. FT. PP. TP.
Martin (f.).....10 0 2
Imrie (f.).....9 0 0
Forbes (f.).....4 0 0
A. Chapman (c.).....2 0 0
C. Chapman (g.).....1 4 3
Feden (g.).....0 1 0
Totals.....12 4 5 31
Renton (29).....FG. FT. PP. TP.
Carlson (f.).....10 0 1
Gambini (f.).....2 0 1
Ott (c.).....4 0 4
Nastouk (g.).....9 2 0
M. Antonich (g.).....2 0 0
Johnson (g.).....0 0 0
Heppenstall (g.).....1 0 0
Totals.....29 2 10 29
Half-time score: Renton 16, Victoria 9.
Referee, Dick Munson; umpire, Perry Mitchell.

Miracles of Sport

By Robert Edgren



13 MEN NAMED SMITH AND 12 NAMED JONES SCORED HOLES-IN-ONE IN 1932.

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LOREN MURCHISON IN INTERNATIONAL RELAY RACE WAITED FOR HUBER HOUBEN (GERMANY) WHO HAD STUMBLING, AND GAVE HIM THE RAIL.
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RALPH ROSE, GIANT SHOTPUTTER, WEIGHED 315 POUNDS.
TOM THUMB, BARNUM MIDGET, WEIGHED 15

Victoria To Meet Shores To-morrow

Inter-city League Match Will Hold Football Spotlight To-morrow Afternoon; Two Strong Elevens to Meet; Kick-off at 3 o'clock

BROOKLYN BOSS



This season the Brooklyn Dodgers in the National Baseball League will be managed by Casey Stengel, former coach of the team. Stengel succeeds Max Carey who was given his walking ticket a few days ago.

Roller Hockey League Former

Fourteen Teams Enter Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Loop

Fourteen clubs, eight in the A Division and six in the B Division, entered the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Roller Hockey League, at the organization meeting held yesterday evening. Play will start to-morrow with all teams in action.

Opening round matches announce this morning by league officials follow:

- A DIVISION
Roughriders vs. Ross Bay.
Foul Bay vs. James Bay.
Moose vs. Eagles.
Rangers vs. Hawks.
- B DIVISION
Monarchs vs. Hawks.
Shamrocks vs. Canadians.
Fireflies vs. Esquimaux.

Herb Balmer, Auto Race Driver, Killed

Los Angeles, March 9.—Herb Balmer, twenty-eight, auto race driver, was injured fatally yesterday when he was killed in a crash during a race at the El Centro, where he was racing. Balmer was declared the winner of the race, but he was killed before he could start.

M'LAUGHLIN WINS MATCH

Takes Two Out of Three Falls From Bob Miller in Vancouver Mat Feature

Vancouver, March 9.—Jack McLaughlin, Vancouver fireman, 158, defeated Bob Miller, Chicago 162, taking two of the three falls in the main event of a wrestling card here yesterday evening.

In the third round McLaughlin took the first fall with a flying tackle and body slam, and the Chicago crowd matters in the fourth round when he took the second fall. The fifth round saw the fireman taking the deciding fall with a leg sciss and arm stretch.

In the semi-final Frank Clemens, Phoenix, Arizona, 170, defeated a Reno, Cincinnati, 160, taking the first fall of the match with an Indian death lock in the fourth round. Another event Jack Foregren, Vancouver, 218, and Marvin Westerbe Iowa, 220, went four rounds to a draw each taking a fall.

JACK PETERSON DEFEATS FOOR

London, March 9.—Jack Peterson, British heavyweight, who lost a crown last year to Len Harvey, coroner of Larry Oaks, Toronto, who held the British Empire title, continued his comeback campaign yesterday evening by beating the South African, Ben Food.

Peterson, hammering the South African for thirteen rounds of the fifteen-round bout before the referee stepped in and ended hostilities. Peterson weighed 179 and Food 197.

Golf Honors Won By Ernie Stoc

Ernie Stoc won the golf tournament staged recently for members of the club dinner at the Empress Hotel yesterday evening.

Prizes for another meet on March 24 are being prepared.

Gorge Vale To Meet Macaulay

Golf Teams Meet Sunday in Interclub Fixture; Draws Are Announced

Members of the Gorge Vale and Macaulay Point Golf Clubs will engage in an interclub match on Sunday. The A teams will battle over the Gorge links, with the B teams meeting at Macaulay.

The draws and starting times for both fixtures follow:

"A" TEAMS
A teams, with the Macaulay Point Players first mentioned, follow:
8.30—H. Wallace and Filmer Morgan vs. H. D. Reid and F. Thomas.
8.35—J. Wallace and O. Perley vs. W. Newcombe and Commander E. R. Edmunds.
8.40—Frank Morgan and J. P. Morgan vs. H. H. Allen and E. Dean Freeman.
8.45—H. D. Pairs and Dr. Lively vs. W. A. Hummerstone and D. W. Spence.
8.50—D. Mills and R. Crane vs. R. Peden and G. Charnwright.
8.55—G. Lindsay and R. Hatfield vs. W. Marshall and Hap Gandy.
9.00—Major G. Smith and D. Shadlock vs. D. Hurdie and R. W. Watson.
9.05—F. Robson and C. Connors vs. A. T. Hunkin and R. Love.
"B" TEAMS
B teams, with the Gorge Vale Players first mentioned, follow:
9.00—R. Cox and O. Reister vs. J. Simpson and J. Stone.
9.05—W. B. Christopher and J. Mathews vs. H. Thompson and C. S. Brown.
9.10—S. C. Terrie and C. F. Bantfield vs. W. McGowan and A. Johnston.
9.15—V. M. Gallon and D. W. Morry vs. E. Rance and J. Holyoak.
9.20—H. B. Slinger and O. Trickett vs. H. J. Applegate and J. Johnston.
9.25—M. H. Barry and T. Cowden vs. H. G. Harris and J. W. Rawlinson.
9.30—W. W. Poole and J. M. Wedderburn vs. W. Poole and W. Wain.
9.35—Capt. H. L. Roberts and J. J. Bartlett vs. D. Burdon and S. A. Keeble.

NO CHANGE IN HOCKEY VENUE

Kimberley Will Not Get Game With Luscar Indians on Their Home Ice

Winnipeg, March 9.—Existing playoff arrangements for the Allan Cup senior hockey playdowns between Alberta and British Columbia will not be altered, as the Coast province champions, Kimberley Dynamitex, requested, E. A. Gilroy, vice-president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, said yesterday evening.

Kimberley and Luscar Indians, Alberta champions, will play a two-game total-goal series at Calgary March 12 and 14, he said, as arranged.

Gilroy pointed out poor ice had necessitated shifting of the British Columbia final games from Kimberley to Trail.

Norris Williams To Lead U.S. Net Team

Former International Player to Skipper Davis Cup Squad in Coming Matches

New York, March 9.—The United States Lawn Tennis Association took a step to-day that critics of its Davis Cup policies have been urging for years. It named R. Norris (Dick) Williams, second, Philadelphia, former Davis Cup player and captain of the team from 1921 through 1923, as leader of the United States international tennis squad for 1934.

President Walter Merrill Hall announced the leader and the cup selection committee, a sub-division of the larger cup organization. It has the responsibility of gathering and training the team which will attempt to win the famous trophy from England.

Holcombe Ward, chairman of the larger cup committee, also heads the selection group with Hall, Williams, Dwight F. Davis, donor of the trophy, John Doe, James W. Murren, Walter L. Fane and Bernon S. Prentice, the team captain in 1932 and 1933, as the other members.

DREW CRITICISM
A criticism of United States Davis Cup teams of recent years has been that control of the squad was placed in the hands of men who had never played in international matches and themselves and who thus failed to handle the youngsters under them properly.

Following the defeat of the U.S. team last year by the English players in the interzone final several members of the American squad openly criticized the work of Prentice. Shortly before he turned professional Ellsworth Vines gave out an interview in which he laid the entire blame for the defeat of the U.S. team on the manner in which the players were handled.

MANITOBBANS WIN HONORS

Toronto, March 9.—At the age of twenty-nine one of Canada's ranking curling skips, smooth-tongued Leo Johnson, Winnipeg, guided his Dominion champions on a sight-seeing tour of Toronto and Niagara Falls to-day, before taking the prized Macdonald Brier trophy back to Manitoba, its almost perennial home.

They were young Leo's name on the honor roll of Great Manitobans in the history of the Brier. Johnson's Club rink completed its undefeated march through the interprovincial field by defeating Ontario's challengers, skipped by twenty-six-year-old Gordon Campbell, Hamilton Thistles, 9 to 8 in an extra end.

Not in the eight-year history of the Macdonald Brier has Ontario been so close to victory. Fighting an up-to-date battle after the third end when the Manitobans scored a six, the Hamilton quartette counted a two-on the twelfth to deadlock the score at 8 to 8.

The Campbell had been beaten only once previously and a victory play-off would have forced a play-off between Manitoba and Ontario for the title.

The victory marked the sixth for Gordon Johnson in the last seven years. Johnson started the string in 1927. He repeated in 1928, Howard Wood came east and won the trophy the following year, and in turn the veteran Bob Gourley and Jimmy Congleton were victors. They are all veterans compared with Johnson, youthful-looking and modest.

BADMINTON PLAY DRAW ANNOUNCED

Nine matches are scheduled this evening at the Williams courts as play for the Williams Badminton Club championships continues.

The draw and playing times follow:
8.00—Men's singles, R. Bagley and F. Colclough vs. H. B. Witter and W. Dunbar; G. Roberts and L. Davis vs. P. Leckie-Ewing and D. Philbrick.
8.10—Mixed doubles handicap, G. Hume and Miss M. Philpott vs. S. Wickett and Miss L. Benson.
8.30—Women's doubles, Misses M. Campbell and D. Morley vs. Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Unsworth. Men's doubles, P. and J. Nation vs. Dennison and Wainwright.
9.00—Men's singles, F. Colclough vs. D. Philbrick. Women's singles, Miss M. Philpott vs. Miss D. Morley.
9.20—Men's singles, W. E. Corfield vs. T. Simmons.
10.00—Mixed doubles handicap, Mrs. Pritchard and H. B. Witter vs. P. Jackson and W. E. Corfield.

POLYFON IN STRETCH WIN

Comes From Behind to Capture Feature Race on Agua Caliente Card

Agua Caliente, Mexico, March 9.—Polyfon, a consistent runner among the better players quartered here, accounted for another purse for the J. D. Mikel Stable yesterday when he won the feature race, a five and one-half furlong sprint, by a head.

Apprentice Ted King rated Polyfon close to the pace set by Las Palmas and then sent him out in front in the stretch to win by a head from Tom Proctor, with Night Flash third. Las Palmas tired in the drive to finish fifth.

Polyfon was clocked in 1:06 and paid \$2.50 for a \$2 wager in the mutual machines.

Results follow:
First race—For two-year-olds; claiming: Five furlongs: \$25.00 \$2.50 \$6.00 \$3.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Second race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Third race—For three-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Fourth race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Fifth race—For three-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Sixth race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Seventh race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Eighth race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Ninth race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.
Tenth race—For four-year-olds and up; claiming: \$400; five and one-half furlongs: \$10.00 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$1.00 \$0.50.

GEORGE FORD TENNIS HEAD

Secretary-treasurer of the C.P.R. Tennis Club for the last two years, George Ford was elected president at the annual meeting held Wednesday evening. L. M. McCallan was named vice-president and J. E. Clark was elected secretary-treasurer. Mrs. J. R. Clark was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee, while Russell Arg was named club captain. Miss Jessie Christopher and A. Knight were named members of the executive.

Lieut.-Colonel G. Howland, retiring president, who has held the post for the last four years, submitted his annual report and was given a vote of thanks for his untiring efforts in the interest of the club. Other annual reports were presented and adopted.

Primo Carnera And Godfrey Will Meet

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, March 9.—The Anito yesterday said that Ary Carvalho, Sao Paulo promoter, and Berty Perry, representing Primo Carnera, had signed a contract for the world heavyweight boxing champion to meet George Godfrey, United States matron.

FRASER HAS GALA NIGHT

Scores Four Goals as Seattle Defeats Vancouver 8 to 2 in Hockey Game

Seattle, March 9.—To-day had brought a close for Seattle Sea Hawks the first Northwest Professional Hockey League season, unsuccessful as far as post-season playoffs were concerned, but a rory one for at least one of the Sound City's players.

Hawks wound up their schedule with a spurge of scoring defeating Vancouver, 8 to 2, here yesterday evening.

When Gordon Fraser, Seattle defenceman and one of the best in the circuit, obtained for his prairie home, he will carry with him the knowledge of a season of sterling and unselfish performance.

Voted the most valuable member of the Seattle club by his teammates recently, Fraser topped off the season with four brilliant goals in yesterday evening's game, all unassisted.

The competition with the low lead in the first period and his final whistling drive ended the game's scoring in the third.

SUMMARY
First period—1, Seattle, Fraser, 7:23; 2, Seattle, Fraser, 12:41; 3, Vancouver, Hextall (Arnot) 13:22; 4, Seattle, Fraser, 17:47. Penalties: None.
Second period—1, Seattle, Gilhooly, 21:6; 2, Seattle, Tabor (Jackson), 14:10; 3, Seattle, Dyck, 17:30. Penalties: Creasy (ten minutes) and Gilhooly.
Third period—8, Seattle, Tabor, 9:45; 9, Vancouver, McAdam, 11:12; 10, Seattle, Fraser, 12:30. Penalties: Arbour and Whittles.

Darcus Cup Golf Play Will Start

The first round of the Darcus Cup medal competition for women will be played at Uplands Golf Club to-morrow on full handicaps. It is over three rounds on full handicaps that the regular monthly medal round will be played in conjunction with the cup competition to-morrow.

The draw follows:
Mrs. Nickerson and Mrs. Semple.
Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Woodcroft.
Mrs. Croome and Mrs. Macdonald.
Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. Jackson.
Miss Mackenzie-Grieve and Miss Wolfenden.
Mrs. Cameron and Miss D. Fletcher.

States negro fighter, at Sao Paulo, in April

Godfrey is in South America on a wrestling tour with the Zbyzko Brothers and several other United States matron.

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Fractional Gains In Wheat Prices In Winnipeg Pit

Winnipeg, March 9.—Unhindered by selling pressure, wheat prices picked up fractional gains on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange to-day despite a minimum show of support. Closing quotations were 1/4 to 1/2 cent higher.

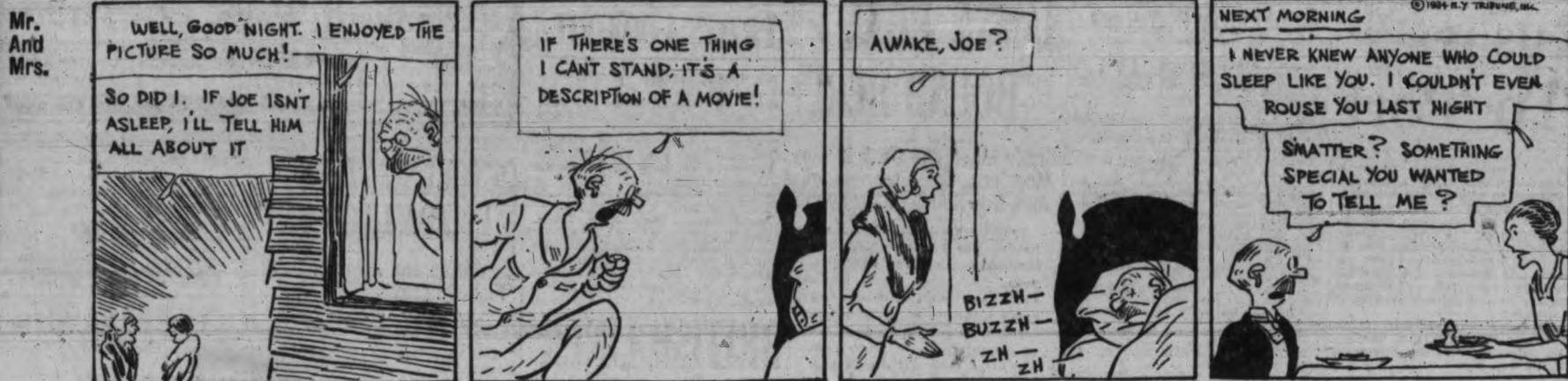
In the late stages Chicago traders were credited with fair purchases. May wheat closed at 69 1/2 and July at 71 to 71 1/2 cents.

Operations were inactive. Only a small volume of wheat changed hands, but due to lack of selling pressure, trades were at fractionally higher levels. Seaboard and continental houses provided most of the slim support, but export sales were small.

Outside markets offered no encouragement. Chicago was about unchanged, and Liverpool ended unchanged to 1/4 lower.

To-day's Grain Markets

WINNIPEG					CHICAGO					
(By Cline, Gwynne & Co.)					(By Cline, Gwynne & Co.)					
Wheat—F. C. O.	Open	High	Low	Clos	Wheat—F. C. O.	Open	High	Low	Clos	
May	69 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	May	69 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
July	71 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	July	71 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Sept.	73 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	Sept.	73 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Oct.	75 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	Oct.	75 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Nov.	77 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	Nov.	77 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Dec.	79 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	Dec.	79 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Jan.	81 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	Jan.	81 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Feb.	83 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2	Feb.	83 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Mar.	85 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2	Mar.	85 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Apr.	87 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	Apr.	87 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
May	89 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	May	89 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
June	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	June	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
July	93 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	July	93 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
Aug.	95 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2	Aug.	95 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
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Apr.	111 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	Apr.	111 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
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July	141 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2	July	141 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2
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FOURTH DEGREE

A Mystery Novel

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"Now isn't it a fact that you returned to this very house again after you had left Mrs. Phelps?" pursued Anderson relentlessly. "You came back here alone and had a second talk with Mrs. Phelps—made a second appeal to her sympathies?"

Cleveland shook his head. "You're wrong there," he declared. "The next time I saw her she was dead!"

"Then why did you park your car up there just off the Paige lane and why were you seen coming from this house about 2 o'clock in the morning?"

"I wasn't," replied Cleveland, with great finality. "My car was never parked where you mention at any time that night and the only time that I left this house was with Mrs. Phelps at about midnight."

Anderson passed his hand over his forehead wearily. "Very well," he said. "We will let it go at that for the time being. Thank you for coming to me, Mr. Cleveland, and you, too, Mrs. Phelps. I want a chance to think your story over and then I expect there will be some more questions that I shall want you both to answer. Mrs. Phelps, there is nothing that you want to add, is there? Mr. Cleveland's story is correct as far as you know?"

"Absolutely correct," answered that last.

"Good-bye then," said Anderson, rising and extending his hand. "This has been a pretty tough day for you, Mr. Cleveland and I sympathize with you more than I am able to say. He shook hands with them both and motioned for MacNalley to show them out.

Then he turned to me. "I am a detective," he said, whimsically, "but no psychologist. You are. How did that yarn strike you?"

"Pretty straight, Andy," I admitted. "Cleveland had a long and distinguished career. He's not a woman's man by a long shot. I imagine the little girl hit him pretty hard—probably the first time in his life that anything like that ever happened to him. A friendship to her—deadly earnest to him. It all hangs together. But I don't understand about those cigarette butts."

"I'm just wondering," said Anderson slowly. "These quiet natures are uncontrollable once they are aroused. Cleveland admits he was half-crazed with jealousy. I wonder if he didn't come back here after he left Mrs. Phelps and try to talk to Mrs. Paige?"

"Possibly to make her listen to him. Then he accidentally killed her and got scared and strung her up."

"But if he was talking to her, he would have noticed that she lost consciousness that he was strangling her. No, Andy, that's hard for me to believe. Cleveland is a gentleman, with many generations of gentlemen behind him. I doubt that he could ever bring himself to lay a finger on a woman's body against her will, let alone hang her to a chandelier."

"Maybe you're right," said the Inspector. "Anyway I have no doubt but that we shall get a line on these particular cigarettes, find out how they came to be in the basement. When we discover that we shall have gone a long way toward solving the mystery."

Ranny Paige came clean that same afternoon, but his story, instead of clearing up the mystery, actually only served to deepen it and to set us thinking along an altogether different line.

As soon as Cleveland and Mrs. Phelps had left, Anderson called his car and we started back for Baltimore. It had been arranged that Paige, accompanied by two officers (although he was not actually under arrest) was to be at Police Headquarters at seven o'clock.

We stopped at a restaurant on Charles Street and ate some dinner, and while we sat at the table, we listened to the Inspector's first real discussion of the case.

"Boys," he said, between mouthfuls of fried potatoes and steak, "there are three motives which generally prompt a murder—love, jealousy, or revenge. When the police are called in to investigate a crime, they at once seek the motive. After they get that, the rest is likely to be clear sailing. Of course, there's robbery, too, and crimes of degeneracy, but we can establish those motives by the circumstances."

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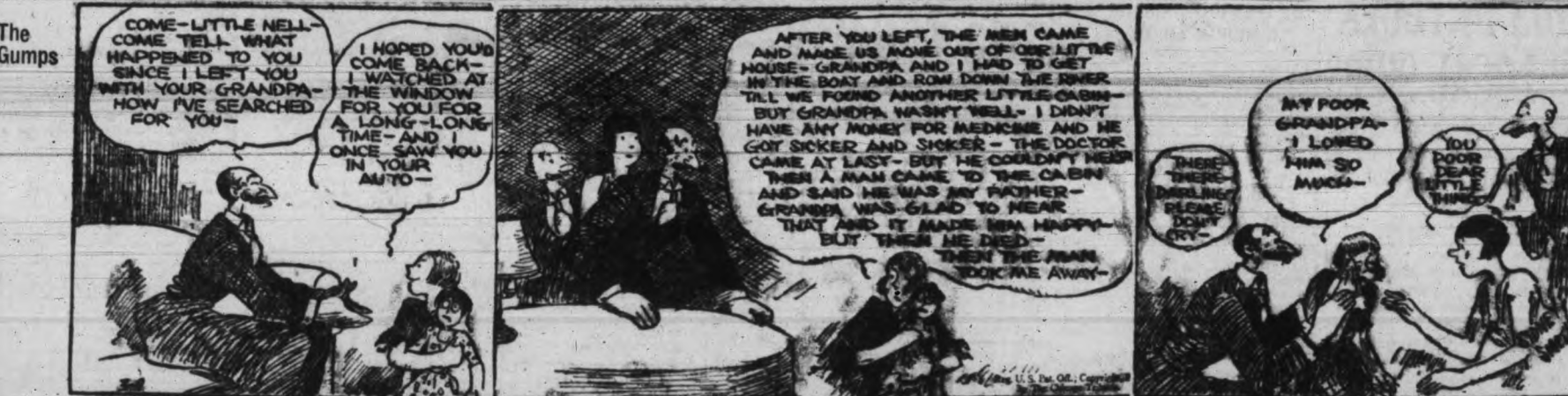
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Uncle Wiggily's Sweet Rain

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"Didn't you know who it was shouting inside that log?" asked Chippy as he scampered along through the woods beside Uncle Wiggily.

"No, indeed," answered the rabbit gentleman to the little chipmunk. "Your voice sounded so strange and booming, coming out of the hollow log, I didn't recognize you. You must have run into the log very hard to be stuck, so tightly that the Police Dog had to poke you with his club to get you out."

"Yes, I suppose I did," Chippy answered. "But when a Fox is chasing you, why, you don't look where you're going just as long as you get away from him."

"That's very true," agreed Uncle Wiggily. "Well, I hope the Fox doesn't take a notion to chase after the two of us now, just when we are so happy."

"I hope the same," said Chippy. "So you are going after more honey for pancakes, are you?"

"Yes," Uncle Wiggily said. "Enough to last until I can find the maple sap running. Then I'll make some maple sugar."

Uncle Wiggily had come to the woods not only to look for a maple sugar tree, but also to get honey and have an adventure. He had the adventure first, for he heard what he thought was a log shouting. He got the Police Dog, who discovered poor Chippy stuck inside the log into which he had run to get away from the Fox. But now Chippy was out and was having fun with Uncle Wiggily.

The two animal friends, one a jolly old rabbit gentleman and the other a cute little chipmunk boy, were going along together through the woods, wondering what would happen next.

"What do you guess will happen next, Uncle Wiggily?" asked Chippy.

"Well," said Mr. Longears, "we may have an adventure, or we may come to the honey tree or I may find a maple tree which I can get some sap out of next week and make maple sugar. So it is hard to guess which will happen first."

"I think we won't come to the honey tree very soon," chattered Chippy. "There is far away in the woods. I don't know anything about a murder—love, jealousy, or revenge. When the police are called in to investigate a crime, they at once seek the motive. After they get that, the rest is likely to be clear sailing. Of course, there's robbery, too, and crimes of degeneracy, but we can establish those motives by the circumstances."

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